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STERLING ATTACKED IN HOUSE

PRESIDENT OF BAYLOR DIED THURSDAY

DRUNKEN DRIVER LAW PASSED BY BOTH HOUSES

DR. S. P. BROOKS,
PRESIDENT BAYLOR
UNIVERSITY, DEAD

WELL KNOWN TEXAS EDUCATOR AND LEADING BAPTIST DIED THURSDAY

WACO, May 14.—(P)—Dr. Samuel Palmer Brooks, 67, president of Baylor University here more than 28 years, died early today at the Central Texas Baptist Sanitarium. He had been ill with cancer since late last year and had been a patient at the sanitarium about two weeks.

Dr. Brooks had known for some days that death was certain. His physicians said only the unusual strength of his heart, which kept beating steadily for days after they had despaired of his life, postponed the end. With him when he died were Mrs. Brooks, two children, former Governor Pat H. Neff and several other relatives. His children are Sims P. Brooks, Waco attorney, and Miss Merilla Brooks, graduate student at Columbia University.

Former Governor Neff came here early in the week to spend his friend's last hour with him. Their acquaintance had covered 40 years. At Dr. Brooks' request Neff kept vigil at the hospital to hold his old friend's hand when the end came.

The university president's last labor for Baylor was to sign diplomas to be presented to members of this year's graduating class. He had signed more than half of them when he became so weak that his doctors forbade him to continue.

Dr. Brooks, born in Milledgeville, Ga., became president of Baylor in 1902. His parents had moved to Texas when he was five.

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LAST OF ALLEGED
FRANKSTON BANK
ROBBERS ARRESTED

JACK WILSON HELD IN JAIL
AT TEXARKANA AFTER
CAPTURE IN ARKANSAS

TEXARKANA, May 14.—(P)—Jack Wilson, 28, last of a quartet of men charged with the \$11,000 robbery of the First State Bank of Frankston last December 10, was held in jail here today after his arrest last night near Ashdown, Ark.

He was captured at a farmhouse by a posse of officers from Anderson and Bowie counties, Texas, and from Little River county, Ark. Wilson waived extradition in returning to Texas and was held under heavy guard last night. Whether he would be returned to Frankston immediately had not been decided.

Sheriff Sutton of Sevier county, Ark., was expected to arrive here today to attempt to entice Wilson into connection with a recent bank robbery at Hornsby, Ark.

Wilson recently purchased a home near Ashdown. Acting upon a tip that Wilson was in Little River county, Sheriff A. D. Brown of Anderson county came to Texarkana yesterday and the posse of officers was formed. When they entered Wilson's house with drawn guns, they found the house unoccupied. While seeking information from neighbors as to his whereabouts, they heard someone coming along a road. Hiding in the woods, the officers waited until Wilson entered the house, and

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Stray Cow Is Cause
Train Derailment

HOUSTON, May 14.—(P)—A stray cow caused the derailment of a Southern Pacific passenger train bound for Shreveport, from Houston, last night at Humble, no one was injured and a relief train took passengers on to Shreveport. The engine and baggage coach left the rails and tore up a section of track. The locomotive was moving slowly at the time.



Sentenced

SENATORS REFUSE
ATTORNEY GENERAL
RIGHT TO DIRECT

PREVENTS CHIEF LEGAL OFFICER SITTING IN SESSION COMMISSIONERS COURT

AUSTIN, May 14.—(P)—The senate and house today had legislated against the drunken driver.

The Senate passed a bill by Representative Burns of Brady providing for the disqualification of drivers found guilty of operating automobiles while intoxicated.

Provisions of the bill stated a jury finding a person guilty of such an offense would be required to specify the length of time the defendant would be prohibited from driving an automobile. Disqualification for as long as two years would be possible.

A person violating such a prohibiting order would be guilty of

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ROAD BOND ISSUE
FAILS TO SECURE
PASSING MAJORITY

AMENDMENT IS PASSED TO EXEMPT HOMESTEADS FROM TAXATION

AUSTIN, May 14.—(P)—Although it gained enough momentum to carry it to within five ballots of the necessary two-thirds majority for submission, the \$12,000,000 highway bond issue failed yesterday to pass the house. The vote was 95 to 46.

Proponents said they believed the proposed amendment could be taken up again by the house next Wednesday, although a point of order prevented a reconsideration of the vote for the purpose of keeping the resolution alive.

Both houses agreed to submit to the people a proposed constitutional amendment to exempt \$3,000 of the state ad valorem tax levies. The senate adopted an amendment increasing the amount of exemptions to \$3,000.

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REPUBLICANS TAKE
CASH AND PROPERTY
DEPOSED MONARCH

WILL BE HELD UNTIL CORTEZ MEETS; MARTIAL LAW IS CONTINUED

MADRID, May 14.—(P)—Catholic Spain went to church today after the riots of the past four days in which Catholic buildings in many of the big cities were laid waste by fire.

Today was the feast of the Ascension, one of the most important days in the Catholic calendar and a national holiday in Spain. The banks were closed, business and industry were suspended and the churches were thronged.

Cardinal Segura, primate of Spain, had fled to France on the way to Rome and charred ruins of churches and convents were devastated by soldiers, but the anti-Catholic disorders apparently had ended.

Martial law continued in most of the important cities, however.

By CLARENCE DUBOSE
(Associated Press Staff Correspondent.)

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Artillery Officer
Peritonitis Victim

LEAVENWORTH, Kas., May 14.—(P)—Maj. James Mitchell Crane, 37, Field Artillery, U. S. A., second year student at the command and general staff school, Fort Leavenworth, died last night at the station hospital of peritonitis. Major Crane was a native of New Mexico, where he was appointed to West Point Military Academy, graduating in 1916. He served as a major of infantry during the World War.

NEW T. & P. DIRECTORS,

NEW YORK, May 14.—(P)—Frank Altschul, of New York, and Henry G. Dalton, of Cleveland, have been elected directors of the Texas & Pacific railroad to fill vacancies. Other directors were re-elected.

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Nine Questioned Connection With Alleged Plots

MEXICO CITY, May 14.—(P)—Nine persons, including former General Mario S. Martinez, accused of plotting to overthrow the government and to assassinate President Ortiz Rubio, were questioned by police today and turned over to the attorney general for investigation.

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Believed Silver Drop Cause

NUEVO LAREDO, Mexico, May 14.—(P)—A tumble in the price of Mexican silver pesos from 39.50 to 36.25 since last Friday was regarded here by political observers as a result of the ousting of Luis Cabral from Mexico and the purported discovery of a revolution plot.

Cabral, secretary of the treasury under the late President Venustiano Carranza, and who still is highly influential in Mexican politics, was arrested Saturday and banished from the republic.

Mexico City authorities who made the arrest declared that the revolutionary plot was deep-rooted and involved large groups of influential Mexicans in Mexico City and several states.

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SOUTH SEAS FOLLIES BEAUTY



Florenz Ziegfeld, well known for his "glorified" girls, has gone way to the South Seas to get his latest example of the feminine face and figure divine. Revi, shown on left, in her native dress, is contrasted sharply on the right, where the beautiful Polynesian enacts the role of an American miss to perfection. Revi was discovered on the Isle of Bora Bora by a movie producer seeking a star for his picture, "Tabu." The new addition to the Follies knows no English, but speaks French.

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FOURTH MAN REPORTED HAVE MADE STATEMENT CONNECTION WITH CORSICANA KIDNAPPING

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GREAT FLEET OF AMERICAN ARMY AIRCRAFT CONVERGING ON DAYTON, OHIO, THURSDAY

DAYTON, O., May 14.—(P)—The first of the planes to participate in the greatest concentration of army aircraft in the country's history were due here today and by tomorrow the air will be thick with battle fleets.

Five Washington national guard planes were scheduled to make their final hop from the Chicago municipal airport. Tomorrow national guard and army ships of all descriptions—pursuit, attack bombing and observation—will descend on Fairfield and Wright fields.

Only one of the 99 ships in the group yesterday morning was left behind. Motor trouble kept it on the ground at Dallas.

Ships from the Pacific coast and Southwest were quartered at Canute field, Rantoul, Ill., and Scott field, Belleville, Ill., in Illinois; at Memphis, Tenn., and other points ready for their last jaunt here tomorrow. Others were scattered over the country. Thirty bombers from Langley Field, Va., headed for Cleveland, where they will stop overnight.

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HELD CONNECTION
ALLEGED FORGERY
STATE CERTIFICATES

DISTRICT CLERK OF UPSHUR COUNTY HELD IN TRAVIS COUNTY JAIL THURSDAY

AUSTIN, May 14.—(P)—Five complaints charging forgery and passing a forged instrument were filed in justice court here today against Claude Ray, Upshur county district clerk.

Ray was arrested at Gilmer yesterday in connection with the investigation by state officers of alleged forgeries of witness fee certificates.

Two men had committed suicide and a third had been indicted on nine counts of forgery since the investigation started. Officials estimated the losses to the state might reach a half million dollars.

AUSTIN, May 14.—(P)—Ranger Robert G. Goss and George H. Sheppard, state comptroller, returned to Austin today with Claude Ray, Upshur county district clerk, alleged to have forged witness fee certificates.

This was the third case of alleged forgery uncovered by state investigators. Two men had committed suicide and a third had been indicted here on nine counts in connection with the other two cases.

Bruce Bryant, first assistant attorney general, was preparing to file charges against Ray. Sheppard discovered the alleged

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BRIAND RESIGNS
FROM CABINET AS DOUMER IS ELECTED

RESIGNATION IS REFUSED AND STATESMAN URGED TO GO GENEVA

PARIS, May 14.—(P)—Aristide Briand, defeated in yesterday's presidential election, today offered his resignation as foreign minister, a post he has held for seven years. But Premier Laval and his other colleagues in the cabinet persuaded him to remain in that important office at least until his immediate tasks at Geneva are completed.

The cabinet decided he should go to Geneva tomorrow for the meeting of the committee on European Federation, as he had planned to do before the election. When Briand left the cabinet met, he confirmed the report of his resignation, adding "they refused to accept it, but indicating that the resignation still stands."

Briand, in defeat, was more in the French eye than Paul Doumer, successful candidate for president. Briand's associates thought his

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Toast to Death
Drunk by Girl Brings Wedding

MONTGOMERY, Ala., May 14.—(P)—The toast of poison 16-year-old Marguerite Hardy drank to love and death last Monday had made her a bride today but physicians said she could not live longer than tomorrow.

The girl said she swallowed the poison because she thought her 18-year-old sweetheart, Willie R. Crittenden, had telephoned another girl. Yesterday Crittenden obtained a divorce in Illinois and the wedding took place in the hospital here. Miss Hardy, being barely able to whisper the vows.

Crittenden said he and the girl had planned to be married three weeks hence.

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ARMY OFFICER DIES.

OMAHA, May 14.—(P)—Brigadier General Leroy Eltinge, 59, commander of the fourteenth brigade and the 89th division of regular army reserves, died at a hospital last night. He had been ill since Saturday.

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Police Department Presented Badge To New Commissioner



R. D. FLEMING
Corsicana Police and Fire Commissioner

SUNDAY MOVIE BILL GIVEN APPROVAL BY TEXAS GOVERNOR

REPRESENTATIVE FORBES TAKES STERLING TO TASK IN HOUSE ADDRESS

AUSTIN, May 14.—(P)—Action of Gov. R. S. Sterling in signing the bill to legalize Sunday motion picture shows and theatrical performances was bitterly denounced in a privileged address to the house today by Representative Forbes of Weatherford. Forbes the champion of the prohibition cause in the legislature, claimed Sterling had disregarded the pleas and prayers of the religious element of the state by signing the bill yesterday. It will permit local communities to determine if Sunday shows shall be held.

"If Sterling had paid as little attention to the prayers of the religious people during the last campaign as he did to the movie bill, he would not be governor today," Forbes shouted. "The religious people are keenly disappointed at his action in yielding to the pleasure of the movie bloc."

"My arguments against the bill did not have a feather's weight.

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ELEVATOR GIRL SHOT BELL BOY TOO YOUNG TO MARRY

ARILENE, May 14.—(P)—Buddie Rutherford, 18, bell boy at a hotel here, was fighting for life in a hospital here today, and Cleora Maxley, 22, elevator girl at the same hotel, was at liberty under \$1,000 bond on an assault to murder charge as a result of a shooting late yesterday in an attorney's office where the pair said they were legal advice on marriage.

Rutherford, in a statement from the operating table, told officers an argument followed his statement that he was too young to marry, and that as he turned to leave the room, he was shot in the back. The bullet lodged near the spine just below the heart, and doctors today had not attempted to remove it due to the patient's weakened condition.

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Local Officers Clear Up Case With Arrest Four Corsicana Men

Weaving the threads of rumors, leads and counter information through weeks of intensive investigations, but plugging along with bulldog-like tenacity, local officers have unraveled the mysterious kidnaping of Robert Cerf, 24, son of Isaac N. Cerf, president of the State National Bank here, Dec. 10, 1930, and the later payment of \$15,000 ransom in Dallas for his release. This information was received by newspapermen at a conference held in Chief of Police W. S. Knight's office with Sheriff Rufus Pevhouse, Cleo G. Miller, county attorney; and R. D. Fleming, city police commissioner.

County Attorney Miller stated early Wednesday afternoon that the cases would be presented to the Navarro county grand jury Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock and indictments will likely be returned late Wednesday afternoon.

The details of the long chase which extended into other states and caused the arrest and charges of false imprisonment to be filed against Jimmie Nash, Currie Caldwell, Doyle Nash, Chas. R. Hassell and one other man not yet arrested, were outlined by the officers.

Caldwell is being held in the Waxahachie, Ellis county jail; Hassell is in the Limestone jail in Groesbeck; Doyle Nash is being held in the Hill county jail in Hillsboro; and Jimmie Nash is being held in the Navarro county jail, but the three away from Corsicana will be returned to the Navarro county jail Wednesday afternoon. County Attorney Miller announced, and other charges may be filed against the fifth man is expected at any time.

Sheriff Rufus Pevhouse got the first lead that led to the solvings of the kidnaping and it was through the efforts of Police Chief Knight and the sheriff that the arrests were made.

Jimmie Nash, Caldwell and Hassell have made statements concerning the affair to officers in which the others are involved.

County Attorney Miller announced Wednesday afternoon that Jimmie Nash told him that they put the Cerf family in the plot to kidnap Cerf and demand the ransom. Caldwell is said to have written the notes delivered to the Cerf family, demanding the money, and giving directions for its delivery. Hassell is reported to have borrowed a typewriter from a local garage in which the notes were written. Hassell, formerly had been an employee at the garage. After the first note was written, they decided that the note was not exactly what they wanted and then Hassell borrowed the typewriter again and another note, the one delivered to the Cerf residence, was written.

The alleged kidnappers met in a house in Corsicana and wrote the notes. They said they used carbon paper, on the note as they thought it would make the typewriter harder to identify.

An apartment on Sanger avenue in Dallas, a two-story building, had been rented prior to the writing of the note.

Charles Hassell was driving a Ford coupe on the night of Dec. 10, 1930. Robert Cerf was en route home. Hassell, officers stated, picked up Cerf at the corner of North Fourth street and West Fourth avenue near the ice plant, and a short time later two of his companions boarded the car, took charge and sped toward Dallas. It was reported that beyond the airport, another car occupied by another man approached and gave a signal with his headlights and one of the trio in the car kidnapping Cerf returned to Corsicana with the fourth man while Hassell and a companion continued the journey to Dallas with the prisoner.

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With the arresting of the Nash brothers, four of the five men thought to be implicated in the kidnaping have been arrested and three made statements, officers have reported.

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Is Your Face Covered With Pimples?

Wichita Falls, Texas — "My son was in poor health when he was about twenty years of age. His blood became pale. He was also troubled with his stomach and his face broke out with pimples. Finally, I decided to have him try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. By the time he had taken a few bottles of the 'Discovery' he was completely relieved of all these troubles, his blood was healthy, and he had no more stomach trouble." — Mrs. Beulah Singleton, 1101 18th St. Tablets or liquid. Drugstore.

Write to Dr. Pierce's Clinic in Buffalo, N.Y., if you desire free advice, enclosing a wrapper from medicine.

Dallas Officers Search For Fifth Cerf Kidnaper

DALLAS, May 13.—(P)—Dallas officers today began a search for a fifth man wanted by Corsicana officers in connection with the kidnaping of Robert Cerf, son of Isaac Cerf, Corsicana banker, last December 10. The police department identification bureau was checking the names of four men held in jail at Corsicana to determine whether any of them had a police record here. The fifth man was said to be the well-known habuiss of Dallas domino parlors and pool clubs. Young Cerf was released by the kidnappers in Dallas after his father had paid \$15,000 ransom.

dollar bills—place them in a brief case. Leave the bank at exactly 5 o'clock in your green Cadillac touring car. Drive at a moderate rate of speed so as to reach the south entrance to the Baker Hotel as quickly as possible. A man will come dressed in light trousers, dark overcoat, derby hat, and wearing large driving glasses. This man will either take the money or tell you where to deliver it. Do not have anyone following you for this man will be fully protected and if you succeed in getting this man killed it will avail you nothing as men are cheap and our men will not be taken alive. If this man does not come out circle the block slowly until he does come out. If you should report this to the police or a detective agency we will know it. In 15 minutes your son will be on his way to Chicago and the price will be \$50,000. If you do exactly as we say your son will be returned to you unharmed in a few hours but if not, you will never see your son again and our answer will come in a post box."

Second Demand.

The second letter was left on the porch like the first, and an anonymous phone call also announced its arrival. This time Robert answered the call, it was learned, and was the first to find the note. The second note called for \$8,000, and was received Jan. 2, and instructed Cerf to leave the bank and drive to the Raleigh Hotel in Waco and promised that two men would receive the money and that the Cerfs would not be bothered again.

The third letter came Jan. 6, and was delivered through the mail and bore a Corsicana postmark, instructing that the \$10,000 be carried to the Adolphus Hotel in Dallas. The kidnaping was reported to a private detective agency after receipt of the second demand, and to police officers after the third was received.

On the day of the kidnaping Robert had been in Dallas with members of the Cerf family and did not return to Corsicana until late in the afternoon.

Young Cerf thought he knew the man who invited him to ride on the night of the kidnaping and got in the car. A fake hold-up was staged when the two other men boarded the car and took possession, starting on the trip to Dallas. Young Cerf said he was well treated by his captors while a prisoner.

The original complaints against the five were filed in the court of Luke Varnell, justice of the peace, precinct 8, at Barry, County Attorney Miller stated. Witnesses summoned to appear before the grand jury Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock were Sheriff Rufus Pevhouse, Cleo G. Miller, W. S. Knight, I. N. Cerf, Robert Cerf, N. Suttle Roberts and the negro chauffeur for the Cerf family. The typewriter on which the demands for the ransom will also be taken before the investigators during the afternoon, Miller continued.

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TEMPLE MAN NAMED PRINCIPAL OF HIGH SCHOOL NEXT YEAR

GRADY ST. CLAIR for the past eight years assistant principal of the Temple high school, and assistant dean of the Temple junior college, was elected principal of the Corsicana high school, to succeed W. H. Norwood, at a meeting of the board of education at the high school Tuesday night. Teachers for next year were named, and other routine matters were taken up.

Mr. St. Clair has made an enviable record during his incumbency in Temple, and comes to Corsicana with the highest qualifications and recommendations. W. H. Norwood was recently named superintendent to succeed H. D. Fillers, who resigned to accept the superintendency of the Wichita Falls public schools, and presidency of the Wichita Falls junior college.

Plans for the 1931 summer school were worked out at the meeting, and J. G. Willard, head of the high school science department, was selected as principal. The tuition of courses was reduced from \$2 to 4 per month.

The following prices which were reduced from \$2 to 4 per month, were announced: grades 1-3, \$10; grades 4-7, one subject, \$10, two subjects, \$14 and three or more subjects, \$18; senior high school grades, one subject, \$12; two subjects, \$16; and three subjects, \$20.

All of the classes, with the exception of the primary grades, which will be held in the Houston shack, will be held in the senior high school building.

Friday, May 22, has been set as the deadline for the teachers elected to return their signed contracts.

C. T. Banister, and Mrs. H. R. Stroube, drew two year terms as members of the board of education, and W. P. McCammon, and Mrs. W. T. Shell drew terms of three years each. Hereafter members of the board will be elected for three year periods, instead of for two years as in the past.

Roberts. Then the money was delivered to the gangsters, and Roberts and the chauffeur was ordered to go on and were advised that Robert would be taken care of all right.

The kidnaping caused much excitement in Corsicana when the details finally became known, and an intensive campaign was inaugurated by local and other officers, including those of Dallas county. The Navarro county grand jury for the January term investigated the affair some, but sufficient evidence had not been uncovered by the officers and no indictments or reports were rendered by the investigators.

Peverhouse Gets Evidence.

For months officers sought to unravel the baffling angles to the case, with little or no success. Sheriff Pevhouse finally managed to procure sufficient evidence to arrest Hassell.

Paid Kidnappers \$15,000.

After the elder Cerf had followed the instructions and broken the bottle of ink in front of the bank at 11 o'clock in the morning of Dec. 10, 1930, Mr. Roberts, with a negro chauffeur, driving the green Cadillac touring car, started on the drive to Dallas at 11 o'clock in the afternoon. It was thought that a lookout man in Ferris spied the car and sped away in a Ford roadster. About three miles south of the Trinity river bridge on the Corsicana-Dallas road a grey Ford roadster came out of a lane and followed the Cadillac. As the Cerf car slowed down, another car appeared, and the drive continued. When the road was apparently clear, near the Trinity river bridge, the men drew closer, and the Cerf car stopped suddenly, and the gangster car passed them. One of the men it was revealed, had been riding on the running board, jumping off with a pistol in each hand, almost fell, and appeared nervous. He advanced upon the Cerf car and ordered the occupants to "Stick 'em up."

"Where is it?" the gangster demanded.

"Where is what?" countered

the men, it was revealed, had been prepared.

The men, yesterday, passed a

house bill which would appropriate \$300,000 to repay farmers in several West Texas counties for losses suffered as a result of pink boll worm quarantine in 1929 and 1930. However, the bill was so amended that its total was run up to \$1,000,000. The senate voted to add \$500,000 to pay counties for losses they suffered in tick eradication work.

The bill was introduced by Senator

Hardin of Stephenville, another conferee, would join him. Senator Hornsby of Austin likewise expressed opposition to it.

Greer charged East Texas was not given a fair break in the new bill. He stated East Texas districts were given more than their proportionate population, excluding Homesteads and oil development and certain West Texas districts were left "light" in order that a new district might be created around San Angelo.

The bill would give one of the three new districts to the South Plains of West Texas, another to the sheep and goat region about San Angelo and the third to South Texas.

Congressman Clay Stone Briggs of Galveston and Joseph J. Mansfield of Columbus were placed in different districts but the rearrangement causes the Galveston district to extend from Houston to the Gulf.

The house expected to resume work on the departmental appropriations bill today with a strong possibility the \$212,000 bond issue would come up for another vote. It failed last week by eleven votes.

Hill Highway Move Bill.

Yesterday the house killed a move to transfer the highway department to Waco and voted to appropriate \$50,000 for construction of a highway building there.

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Down Go Prices! Still Further Reductions! Everything Slaughtered In COX'S CLOSING OUT SALE

\$1.00 Hosiery
59c

—Genuine pure silk hose of perfect quality, now on sale at 59c a pair! Service weight of the kind that will wear long and durable. Limited quantity, hurry!

Genuine Kotex
25c

—You never saw such a low price as this before on genuine Kotex! In the familiar blue box of 12. Now 25c a box. LIMIT, 3 BOXES TO A CUSTOMER.

Silk Hosiery
\$1.35

—Reg. \$1.95. Famous Wayne Knit, Claussner and other standard brands. Finest quality perfect pure silk sheer chiffon for stockings. Choose from many colors. \$1.35 a pair.

Values to \$2.95
45c

—Big counter of assorted merchandise—women's collars and cuffs, women's silk scarfs and other items, now special at 45c each.

Hand Made Gowns
89c

—Reg. \$1.95. Less than half price on fine imported quality of all hand made Philippine gowns, hand embroidered. Now special, 89c.

Girls' Dresses
\$1.98

—Values to \$6.95. A special assortment of dresses for girls up to 7 years, in a variety of styles and colors. Now special at a clean-up price of \$1.98.

Girls' Dresses
29c

—Values up to 89c. Here is a special group of girls' dresses of many styles and kinds, shown in printed cottons and other materials, to be closed out at 29c.

Women's Dresses
\$2.95

—Reg. \$5.95. Women's new styles summer wash dresses of pretty new washable materials, in many styles and colors, now further reduced to \$2.95.

Winter Underwear
29c

—For women and girls. Priced so low you can't afford to pass it up now. Women's and girls' panties, vests and underslips in knitted styles. Formerly up to \$1.00.

Shirts, Blouses
59c

—For boys. Values up to \$1.95 each. Just 100 shirts and blouses left in this great group, now reduced to 59c in the closing out sale.

WE'RE SAYING GOOD-BYE WITH THE GREATEST SALE YOU EVER SAW

—Here come still lower prices! We've reduced prices again! For we're determined to make this the greatest sale in Corsicana's history, we're determined to say good-bye in a way You'll never forget. We are likewise, determined to give our friends and customers values the like of which they have never seen before! AND HERE THEY ARE! No wonder people are coming from the far reaches of this section! No wonder people have crowded the store to capacity! Now still more will come, for here are FURTHER Reductions! Get your share of the bargains ... prove that you know a good thing when you see it!

Wash Goods
15c

—35c serpentine crepe—30c Indian Head suiting—30c printed Dimitties and Batties—and 20c Imperial Chambrays. More than 50 pieces to choose from—NOW 15c A YARD!

Smart Silks
\$1.19

—\$1.98 Flat Crepes—\$2.59 Crepe Satins—and \$1.98 Gourgettes in a large number of smart solid colors. Choose from FIFTY shades now on sale at \$1.19 a yard!

Extra Special Values!

Boys' Caps, values to \$1.98 25c

\$8.00 and \$8.50 Stetson Hats \$3.95

\$9.00 to \$11.00 Stetson Hats \$4.95

\$1.00 Men's Night Shirts 69c

\$1.00 Men's Belts 49c

\$1.00 Belt Buckles 49c

Bathing Suits, values to \$6.50 . . . Half Price

Mesh Bags, values to \$6.95 98c

\$1.49 Parasols for women 69c

\$2.95 Parasols for Women \$1.49

\$4.95 Parasols for women \$1.98

29c Bath Towels, 22x44 inches 19c

\$1.59 Bed Spreads, size 81x105 79c

FURTHER REDUCTIONS ON WOMEN'S SILK

Dresses

Early Spring Dresses
Values up to \$16.50 **\$3.95**

Newest Summer Styles
Our. Reg. \$16.50 grade **\$8.45**

Newest Summer Styles
Values up to \$29.50 **\$13.95**

—Many styles, colors and designs. Now on sale at tremendous reductions. Don't wait longer!

ALL SPRING COATS— AGAIN REDUCED!

\$16.50 Coats and Suits \$8.95
\$29.50 Coats and Suits \$12.95

Extra Special Values!

25c Blue Denim 15c

25c Hickory Stripes 15c

54-inch quilted Table Padding 59c

\$1.50 set of 6, linen hemst. napkins . . . 69c

\$2.50 Pepperell solid color hemst. sheets 1.79

\$2.25 colored border hemstitched sheets 1.59

79c solid color Pepperell cases 58c

69c colored border cases 49c

\$6.95 Rayon pillow and spread set . . . \$3.75

Double cotton Blankets, val. to \$1.98, . . 98c

\$2.98 part wool Blankets, 70x80 . . . \$1.79

70x80 part wool blankets, up to \$4.50 . . \$2.19

\$2.98 Cotton Comforts \$1.79

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Jap Pongee
25c

—Imagine this! Genuine Japanese pongee of the famous 12-momme weight in the natural color. Buy all you need and want now at 25c a yard!

Wearwell Sheeting
29c

—Here's the famous Wearwell sheeting in the fine white bleached quality in 94-81-inch quality now on sale at 29c a yard! Hurry down for your share!

Famous Sheets
79c

—Size 81x90 inch sheets for double beds made by WEARWELL and GARZA. Choose from these famous makes, now on sale at only 79c each. Hurry for yours!

Unbleached Sheeting
25c

—Here we are with famous Foxcroft and Stark brands in unbleached sheeting. In the popular 94-81-inch width, now on sale at just 25c a yard.

Rayon Spreads
\$1.98

—Values up to \$3.95. Fine quality of large rayon bed spreads in beautiful colorings in large sizes 81x105 inches for spread and bolster. Now special at \$1.98.

Girls' Wash Dresses

Values to \$2.95

45c

—More than 150 wash dresses for girls of all ages. Of printed broadcloths, voiles and other summer materials. Now final close-out price is 45c each!

Girls' Dresses

Values to \$7.95

98c

—Of wool jersey! A collection of small styles, suitable for next winter's school wear. Now on sale at 98c each.

Girls' Coats

Values to \$14.95

98c

—Clean-up price on girls' winter coats in many styles and colors. Now finally priced at 98c each.

Fine Outings
10c

—Reg. 25c! Now's the time to select your outings for all the needs you will have next winter! Cox's has many patterns on sale at 10c a yard!

Printed Cottons
15c

—Reg. 25c. Famous Fruit of the Loom printed cottons in a host of fast color designs. These new patterns are sensational values at just 15c a yard.

All Sales Cash Only — All Sales Final

R. E. Cox Dry Goods Co.

THE HOUSE OF BETTER VALUES

CORSICANA, TEXAS.

Straw Hats
\$1.98

—Values up to \$4.95. Cox's is now closing out all of these straw hats at one price—just \$1.98 each. Hurry down and select yours!

Diaper Cloth
89c

—Bolt of 10 yards of the famous RED STAR diaper cloth in the 27-inch, now 89c a Bolt. 30-inch, 10-yard bolt... \$1.10

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MIDWAY

MIDWAY, May 14.—(Spl.)—A nice rain fell Monday night and will help the farmers' crops.

Mrs. Roy Dalton, teacher of Midway, is on the sick list now.

Miss Earline Ellis spent Saturday night with Misses Jessie and Clara Stout.

Mr. and Mrs. Kitchen and children of Midway spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Fred Ivy of Milford.

Dave Harper was a Hillsboro visitor Monday.

Misses Faye Ellis, George Dillard and Robbie Dillard spent Sunday with Misses Eva Mae and Mildred Perkins.

E. R. Ellis of Midway was a Hillsboro visitor Monday.

Misses Jessie and Clara Stout visited Misses Earline and Fay Ellis Sunday afternoon.

George and Carlyle Mitchell of Dallas visited their mother, Mrs. E. R. Ellis Saturday and Sunday.

H. H. Frank of Midway visited in the home of L. C. Clinkscales Monday afternoon.

H. H. Frank and sons, Ollie and Jack, were Milford visitors Saturday morning.

Frank and Pat Williams of Three Way visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Ellis Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooper of Milford gave the young folks around Milford a party Saturday night and all had a nice time.

Steve Pendleton, Edd Weldon and Herbert Erwin of Woodbury were in the home of their aunt, Mrs. Rachel Ellis Monday.

Mrs. H. H. Franks and children and Miss Earline Ellis of Midway visited in the home of Mrs. Rann Thompson of near Milford Friday evening.

Midway and Bindham played baseball Tuesday and the scores were 8-10. Bindham.

Joe Clanton spent Tuesday night with Jack Frank of Midway.

The Midway school closed Friday, May 8, and had a picnic.

Miss Florence Hoover of Ham Rock was in Midway community Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gunter of Mertens were in Midway Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Payne, Lee Pursey and family and Mrs. Charley Maher of Pursey were in Midway Wednesday night.

Helen McClure visited her cousin, Miss Pearl McClure Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Clara Booker visited Miss Earline Ellis of Midway Friday.

POWELL

POWELL, May 14.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pevéhouse of Blooming Grove, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Birch.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Banks and son, H. H. Jr. motored to Athens Sunday, spending the day with relative.

Mrs. Esther Washam spent Tuesday morning in Corsicana.

Mrs. Viola Washam is visiting her niece, Mrs. Bill Gowen of Keren's, a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Miles motored to Trinidad Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Dickson and Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Wright of Dawson, visited relatives here on Sunday.

A crowd of young folks went to Trinity river Saturday fishing. They report a wonderful time.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Melton of Corsicana visited in the home of their mother, N. M. Melton Monday night.

George and Velon Lonon of Marion Chapel community attended business here Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. H. P. Williford of Temple were guests of Mrs. Williford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jackson Saturday night and Sunday. Little Miss Ann who had been guest of her grandparents returned home with them.

Mrs. Elwin Howell of Keren's spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. E. R. Wright. Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Wright and Mr. Howell motored to Corsicana.

Bud Picklin went hunting recently on Chambers creek and captured two small wolves. He brought them home with him and will raise them for pets.

Mrs. Fritz Kenner was in Corsicana Monday shopping.

Miss Etta Mae Christian of Corsicana as guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Christian Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Euphemia Richey of Corsicana visited relatives here Monday.

BETHEL

BETHEL, May 14.—(Spl.)—Rev. Morran will preach here at 11:00 o'clock Sunday morning.

Raymond Graham and Hugh Wickham of McAllen were visiting relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Wallace visited relatives in Coolidge Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Andrews of Austin spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson visited her parents in Frost Saturday night and Sunday.

Naomi Floyd and Juanita Graham visited Jewel Graham Saturday afternoon.

Ruth Ballew has returned home after spending several weeks in Port Arthur.

Mrs. Lola Young and baby spent Friday night with Mrs. Emma Stroud.

Clayton Baggett of Ennis attended Sunday school here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shepp Baggett of Bryan visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Cecil Norris has returned home after spending two weeks with her mother in Jester.

There was a ball game here Sunday afternoon between Parish Mills and Purdon. Purdon won by one score.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burress of Corsicana visited his mother, Mrs. Swink here Sunday.

Glen Sawyer of Denton is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Floyd.

Ernest Floyd and Jewel Graham attended the singing here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Kimble of Fort Worth are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Solomon here.

Bill Smith of Union High spent Saturday night with Frank Graham.

PECAN

PECAN, May 14.—(Spl.)—The Farmers got to work several days last week, which was a great help. Misses Betty Mac Johnston and Evelyn Mitchell of Barry were in the community Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Rhodes of Cryer Creek visited their daughter, Mrs. Fred McGraw Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McGraw spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Barr of Cryer Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Collier were called to Corsicana Saturday on account of the illness of their daughter, Emma.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis McGraw of Cryer Creek spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. J. McGraw.

Miss Emma Collier is on the sick list this week, having had her tonsils removed Saturday.

Leroy and Tommie Jewel Harris attended the party here Thursday night.

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Several from this community attended church at Blooming Grove Sunday, and every one enjoyed the Mother's Day program.

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Miss Orlene Hampton spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Evelyn McCullock.

Miss Winnie Young and Addie B. Henton spent a few days of last week in the home of Jay Ellis and family of near Purdon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Threat and family spent Saturday night and Sunday in the home of C. H. Threat.

Mrs. Walker Threat spent a few days of last week with relatives near Roane.

G. W. Marlowe visited Mrs. W. S. McCulloch Saturday afternoon.

Tant and Dennis A. Smitherman of McLean, Texas, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. C. H. Threat.

Misses Winnie Young and Addie B. Henton visited in the home of Mrs. G. W. Marlowe Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Ellis and son, J. W. spent Wednesday night in the home of R. H. Henton.

W. H. McCraw and family of Purdon attended B. Y. P. U. here Sunday night.

Gordon Marlowe spent the day Monday with his father, Geo. W. Marlowe.

Miss Addie B. Henton spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Thomas spent Saturday night and Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mattheus.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hays of Navarro Mills spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Dowd and family.

Miss Agnes Priddy spent Monday night with Misses Lorene and Nellie Denton.

Rev. Taylor has been called as pastor of the Baptist church here.

DRANE

DRANE, May 14.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McEntire spent little daughter, visited relatives East Texas during the week Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McDowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Moore spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith.

Buell McDowell of Jacksonville, and children of Houston are here to see Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Lowery.

Mrs. Travis Holland who is visiting here from Houston, spent Sunday in Temple.

Miss Janice Jones spent the week-end in Hillsboro. She was accompanied by Misses Helen McClannah and Hazel Frederick.

Mrs. J. A. Wilkinson is here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Morgan of Barry spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. T. T. McEntire.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Simpson of Blooming Grove visited Mrs. Emma Collier Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Henderson of Barry attended church here Sunday night.

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Miss Madelle Bailey of Dawson, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Carmel Toten.

Len Raley of Hubbard, visited relatives here during the week-end.

Misses Lorene Wright and Juanita Markum of White's Chapel, spent the week-end with Miss Virginia Raley.

Miss Eddie Jones, who is teaching at Duncanville, came home for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Loverett of Hillsboro spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Whorton.

Mrs. Alma Thurman of Dallas spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Pierson for the week-end.

Miss Edna Reid, a student at Baylor University, spent the week-end here.

Mrs. J. P. Williford of Molana was here Tuesday.

Miss Nell Bingham had as her guest Sunday, Ray Langston, Misses Fay Quinley, Emma McCullough, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Massingale, Willie and Rex Melton, and Loyd Stover of Corsicana.

Miss Carrie Lawrence returned to her home in Dawson Sunday after an extended visit in the home of her brother, G. W. Lawrence.

A large crowd from other communities attended the mothers' day services here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wince Hill of Dawson, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lawrence, Sunday afternoon, who is very ill.

C. H. Threat was badly hurt Friday morning when a mule ran over him.

J. T. McCulloch spent the week-end with Marvin Burks.

Mrs. Vera Oden is in Waco staying with her sister, Miss Essie Currington who is there for medical treatment.

Miss Neil Gibson spent the week-end with her aunt, Miss Effie Hicks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hubbard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mildred Tolok.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Thomas spent Saturday night and Sunday night with Mr

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T. F. Bonnett and Frank Johnson made a business trip to Dallas Wednesday.

J. R. Slay was in Corsicana Wednesday.

Mrs. Cal Brown, Mrs. W. F. Sanders, Mrs. J. E. Jones and Mrs. Tom Slay spent Wednesday in Dallas.

Francis Henderson returned to his work in Fairfield Wednesday.

Seth Ward Moore and Damon Knott were in Corsicana Wednesday night.

Carl Slay and daughter of Rhome spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Linnie Slay.

John Stocklock of Hillsboro junior college visited his parents over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Dickson had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Dickson, Orlis and Freeman Dickson of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Means were in Waco Sunday.

Mrs. O. A. Tabb and daughter, Dot Alice, and Mrs. J. W. Matlock, also daughter, Exa, were in Dallas Saturday.

Miss Elsie Hooser spent Monday in Dallas.

Harold Bruner of Dallas spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Bruner.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Keathley of Dallas, were Sunday guests of her father, Dr. H. H. Stephenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Akins, Jr. of Mexia, visited in Frost over the weekend.

Hubert Mitchell of Itasca spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Mitchell.

Miss Elsie Keathley of Dallas, was the weekend guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Q. G. Keathley.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McMichael, spent the weekend in Weatherford.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Byron and children of Dallas, spent Sunday in Frost.

Miss Mattie Fuller and Polyanna Askew were in Dallas over the weekend.

Misses Francis McKay, Mae Bartlett, and Catherine Moore spent Saturday in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jones and children, Charles Ray, Mary Catherine, Linnie, Gene and Betty Joe, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Slay and daughter, Judy, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Slay and children, Franklin Lucille and John Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Bill and Linnie Slay spent Sunday in Waxahachie.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. W. Matlock and family were called to Denton Saturday to attend the funeral of her brother, Frank Davis.

Fletcher Bonnett made a business trip to Dallas Monday.

Dr. H. H. Stephenson was in Corsicana Friday.

Miss Earle Hightower of Barry, and Mrs. Cecil Johnson of Bloom Grove were Monday guests of Mrs. Everett Hightower.

Rev. W. W. Richeson spent the first of the week in Dallas.

Miss Mat Crabtree of Italy was the weekend guest of her sister, Mrs. R. N. Bruner.

E. O. McCord of Houston and Mrs. Bob Perriman of Dallas, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. McCord Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Jones spent the weekend in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Alie Allen had as their guests Sunday, Joe Allen and Miss Jennie V. Sweeny of Houston.

Miss Leslie Thompson of Mt. Calm, Leslie Thompson and mother, Mrs. Mary Thompson of Mart.

Mr. and Mrs. Mat Keathley of Dallas, spent the weekend here.

Miss Fae Ellis of Ft. Worth visited her parents over the weekend.

Miss Beatrice Jones of Trinity university was a weekend visitor here.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones and son spent Sunday in Dallas.

Miss Thelma Brown of Dallas, visited her parents over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Keathley and family of Fort Worth spent the weekend with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Brown of Corsicana were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Brown.

W. I. and Mrs. S. Mitchell of Dallas spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Jane Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Smith and children of Waxahachie were the Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Strain.

Oscar Allen, Joe Sanders, Albert Baird and Chester Strain of Trinity university spent the weekend here.

Harold Keathley of Temple is visiting here.

W. A. Sims and J. C. Beck

MILDRED

MILDRED, May 14.—(Spl.)—Sunday school and church was well attended there being 205 present. The revival meeting which was a great success, closed Sunday night. There were 22 additions to the church. Twenty-three candidates for baptism who will be licensed at the First Baptist church at Corsicana, Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Mrs. David James and children, Miss Ruth James of Henderson, visited relatives here Sunday and Mrs. L. L. Martin accompanied them home.

Mrs. Tom Hayes and children, Mrs. Cortez Wright and children, Mrs. D. E. Brown and daughter, Helen, and Willie Lee Brewer all visited in the home of Mrs. M. H. Wright Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Watson and sons, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. England, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gibson, Elton Wilson, Jarrett Sanderson, Harry Hensler, Bishop Gaines, Walter Day, Bud Brashears, Edward Choate, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hensler, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brashears, Mrs. Led Brashears, Mrs. Zullia Byrns, W. D. Gray, Hugh Patterson, David White, Mack White, D. F. Brown, Raleigh Ellis, M. H. Wright, Cortez Wright, Edith Welch, Jacie White, Cleo Lola Cole Brown, Ruth Brashears, Julia Ray and Cora Fay Petty, Jessie Lee Gray, Fay Little, Marie and Bessie McLeod and Mrs. Hubert Elder were in Corsicana Saturday.

Walter Seyfert and son, Lewis of Mexia, were here Monday.

Miss Gladys Westmoreland spent the weekend with her parents, near Waco.

attended the funeral of Mr. Frank Davis in Dallas Monday.

Miss Mary Alice Wilson of Ft. Worth spent Monday and Tuesday with Miss Ila Ross.

Mrs. Elmer Omberg and Miss Lucile Mitchell were in Corsicana Saturday.

Mrs. H. P. Ross entertained the members of the Civic and Worthville club Thursday afternoon. Mrs. George Morgan gave a report of the club's activities which was held at Nacogdoches. Miss Winie Palmer rendered several piano pieces. Delicious cake and strawberry ice cream were served.

Misses Mary Ruth Henderson and Ila Ross were in Corsicana Monday.

Mrs. Ethel Cole spent Tuesday in Dallas.

S. E. Gaines and R. L. Templeton made a business trip to Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brown and children of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Neese and children of Barry were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Neese.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Martin of Providence were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McClellan and daughter, Will Ruth, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hollingsworth.

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Corsicana Light.**JUST FOLKS**

THE FISH THAT GETS AWAY
Some mourn the fish that gets away.
And boast his size and weight,
They stop their friends at night
to say
How sorry was their fate.
Almost unto the net they'd brought
This beauty superfine,
It seemed to them they'd had him caught
And then he snapped the line.

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CORSCANA, TEX., MAY 15, 1931.

THE FAMILY AND THE NATION.

Periodically we are greatly disturbed by the news that marriages are falling off and that divorces are on the increase. And so on the heels of this news there comes numerous declarations as to how serious this evil is, and even more numerous suggestions as to how it may be speedily checked.

No intelligent man or woman who will give any thought to the problem needs to be told how serious it is. It menaces practically everything we hold dear in our social order. It touches not only the lives of those immediately implicated; it involves somehow the very foundations of sociability. It means that in something fundamental to our social welfare and happiness we are not succeeding as we ought to.

Nor will any intelligent man or woman close his ear to any of the many suggestions which will presently be given as to how the solution of this problem must be approached to be effective. We shall be told that it ought to be made more difficult to get married, and less easy to get a divorce. We shall be told that the problem is not merely an economic one, although it is that too in part; they will say that it is individual in so far as anything can be individual; and they will tell us that it is also a social problem.

In the meantime there are those who have given much thought not merely to the present situation, but to the historical aspect of it also, and the conclusions of these thinkers may be worthy of consideration. They will tell us that the family is the basic unit of civilization; that where any community or nation has clung to this basic family unit, its progress has not been endangered, and where the integrity of the family unit was assailed, there decay was inevitable.

The historical significance may be clear to everyone; but more clear even than that is the logic of it. It is within this little group that the ideals are developed which are so necessary to human progress and permanence; and it is through this group that these ideals are maintained. When for any reason the integrity of this group is threatened, we are told, then all civilization is threatened, for it can not be too often repeated, the family is the unit on which the whole structure of civilization is built.

In proportion as we can bring ourselves to realize the importance of this fact; in proportion as we can keep out the theories of this or that, or fads of one kind or another from our thinking about the family in that proportion we may avert the danger of which the increase of divorce and decrease of marriages is only a symptom. Whatever can be done in the home or by any other educative influence outside of the home, to keep before us the fact that except as we maintain the family intact the outlook is a dark one—this is worth doing. No nation can continue to be great, except its greatness is based on an enduring family relation.

Odd types to be found in every office: The chap who is so excited about starting on a vacation Saturday he is virtually useless after Tuesday and positively a menace to the organization after Thursday.

A live wire is a much nicer thing to be than to fool with.

There would be no speed laws compelling the motorist on the straight, broad and untraveled highway to drive as slowly as the one if a few of the advertisers and board owners had been more politic in their choice of sites.

It is a defect in the governmental system that it does not permit discrimination in favor of the petty men.

Among those resorting to poster advertising the complaint is common that there would now be heard no offender.

Her Day of Triumph

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SUNNY HALL

BEAUTY AND UTILITY. WHAT YOU ARE GOOD FOR.

Two very contrary phases of merchandising progress are to be discerned in the present distribution picture. One is the emphasis placed on novelty of design and the importance of color, while the other is a revival of the very old-fashioned idea of utility.

It is scarcely necessary to mention the strides made in pushing new designs and in accenting color. The new theory of style obsolescence has been on these developments—the modern product is not worn out, it passes out of style.

Of the new move to give utility its former value, less has been said, and yet it seems to be making headway in spite of, and perhaps because of, the tremendous effort to have many useful articles scraped once something new appears. Some producers are striving hard to promote larger sales through superficial changes in their products, while some progressive distributors and other agencies are at work to discover and furnish what will give best service.

Both practices can be attributed directly to the buying public. Some consumers shop for replacement purposes only after the old article is worn out. Others, and this applies particularly to motor car buyers and fashion leaders, want the latest model or newest style irrespective of its utility or physical soundness. So the merchant is dealing with two different types of customers, and trying to satisfy the needs and demands of both. That he succeeds so well is the marvel of every reasonable consumer.

To the youths who in spite of the discouragements indicated by Prof. Clewell continue their difficult double task commendation is due. Acquiring a college education is in a full-time job, which means far more than simply attending classes. The boy who adds to its duties the work of earning a living deserves the cooperation of both college and prospective employer.

THE THOUGHTLESS FEW.

The many suffer for the transgressions of the few. This would be a platitude if it were not that modernity has given it greater significance.

The most common way the blameless many are made to expiate the wrongs of the few is through legal isolation. Things carried to excess invite prohibitory and restrictive legislation, although in moderation they would have escaped the lawmakers. But once they are embodied in the statutes, the temperate are punished with the intemperate.

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Personality is never carried in a vanity case.

A wife is known by the company he keeps.

PARENTHOOD.

A generation sophisticates, civilized and whatever are the other past participial adjectives will welcome the latest application of the debunking process to the greatly overrated industry of parenthood.

What would be the present market price of a non-interest-bearing bond maturing in 18 years and at the end of that time worth nothing? Yet that, according to official figures, is the sort of investing the American people are practicing on a huge scale.

The tests as they are beginning to be applied and perfected in schools and factories, are for the purpose of classifying individuals according to their natural abilities in a given field of work. The individual is rated as inferior or superior to a standard average, and the variety of tests to which his intellect is subjected is expected in time to bring out qualifications for a certain kind of effort. There is always the danger in a thing of this kind that it will develop into a repressive formula, by which individuals will be pigeon-holed without any opportunity to exercise their own desires. A certain classification in his early years in grade school might possibly lead an individual and his teachers to ignore latent qualifications that otherwise would have developed forcibly.

Furthermore, it is possible to see how a ruthless employment system might become the sole beneficiary of this test system, through a use of it to save employers the expense of wasted industrial training. Efficiency at the expense of the individual, at the expense of the variable human factor in even the industrial life of a people is ultimately a loss to the system that institutes it. However, the very attitude that the institution of the test system indicates and stands for is probably an insurance against the system's misuse. This attitude is primarily human and secondary scientific.

This psychological test is forthcoming as a substitute for the old sacred notion that what God wills is somehow going to make itself known. It is the attempt of the new philosophy to take hold of things. It is the beginning of man's effort to decide things for himself with the intelligence God has given him.

Trying to get even usually makes a man look odd.

Winter brings back the man who takes a cold bath daily and lies about other things also.

Many a man is fenced off from success by his own railing.

Modesty is just a product of climate.

BRANCH EMPLOYMENT OFFICE TO BE SOUGHT BY LOCAL CHAMBER

A branch office of the employment service of the U. S. Department of Labor will be sought by the Corsicana Chamber of Commerce following the action of the board of directors at their regular bi-weekly meeting Tuesday morning. Other routine business occupied the board at the session.

The quarterly financial statement of the chamber was submitted to the board by the secretary and received considerable attention. It was pointed out that a strict program of economy would have to be enforced during the coming year.

A memorandum from the Dallas Chamber of Commerce and from the United States Chamber of Commerce was read to the directors, asking them to consider the Senate bill that would place the state in the accident insurance business. The directors questioned the advisability of such a procedure, and went on record as opposing the bill, and instructed the secretary to so notify the representatives of this county.

Membership of the Butler-Caldwell Company was announced and one resignation reported by W. P. McCammon, chairman of membership activities.

F. A. Pierce, county counsellor for the East Texas Chamber of Commerce announced a meeting of District Four at Mexia Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock to be preceded by a meeting of the various community counsellors of Navarro county in Corsicana Friday morning. He urged as many of the directors as possible to attend the Mexia meeting.

Secretary Harwell reported on the winter and spring activities of the unemployment bureau, in which 887 men affecting over 4,000 people were found to be unemployed in a survey through the city schools, and many of them placed for part-time employment by the chamber. He reported on the future uncertainty and that if possible relief agencies should be established.

He reported the proposed establishments of branch offices in several Texas cities of the U. S. Department of Labor, and suggested that it might be possible to secure such a branch. It was pointed out that office room could be supplied the branch if it could be secured for Corsicana, and the president was empowered to name a committee to pursue the location of an office here.

Feasibility of taking part in the publication costs of the next booklet printed by the U. S. Highway 75 association was discussed by the directors, and it was agreed to pursue the matter further.

Members of the directorate suggested that other groups might be enlisted in the matter.

Among those present at the meeting were Allyn Lang, C. C. Roberts, W. M. Spear, Max Woleson, J. M. Dyer, F. N. Drane, Ted B. Ferguson, W. O. Harwell, F. A. Pierce and W. P. McCammon.

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The class roll follows:

Margaret Estelle, Lilly Mae Kinney, Sally Higgins, Clara Alice Ringo, Minnie Louise McCown, Margie Maxine Jones, Corinne McArdle, Lucile Morris, Clarice Calhoun, Opal Jackson, LaHome Beasley, Marie Jordan, Fern Caldwell, Ethie Joe Bannister, Alva Lynn Perdue, Sara Lee Morton, Bernice Griffith, Mamie Lou Hoffman, Anne Hale, Ruby Lee Hill, William Robert Orange, L. V. Knott, Claude Howell Nash, Louis Muri Woods and Kitty Ruth.

Commencement exercises at the I. O. O. F. Home will be opened with a musical recital Monday night, May 24 under the direction of Misses Margarite Christie and Alice Ruby King.

Kindergarten exercises will be held Tuesday night, May 25 under the direction of Miss Myrtle Shockley. An oratorio will be presented Wednesday night, May 27 and will be directed by Miss Margaret Christie.

The class play will be given Thursday night, May 28 and the final commencement exercises will be held Friday night. Dr. Taylor, head of the extension department of S. M. U. will deliver the class address.

The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered Sunday morning, May 24 at 9 o'clock by J. L. Hines, minister of the Church of Christ in the auditorium of the Home.

There are sixteen members of the graduating class, eight boys and eight girls. The class roll follows:

Bill Webb, valedictorian; Ada Rutherford, salutatorian; R. D. Pitt, Sammie Cruse, Paschal McMenamy, Floyd Dunsworth, Jack Hussey, Laud Johnson, Homer Taylor, Thelma Horton, Selene Yarborough, Rose Threlant, Marie Dunsworth, Lillian Miller, Willie Miller and Opal Patterson.

Altruism: Exact knowledge concerning the side of the bread that is buttered.

If dancing makes the feet larger we soon will be a broad-shouldered nation.

Some fellows work their way through school; others work their parents.

Two heads are better than one if they are not on the same self.

It's a rare epidemic that doesn't start in the third grade.

Many a man is fenced off from success by his own railing.

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COURTHOUSE NEWS**DISTRICT COURT**

The Navarro county grand jury which has been in recess several days resumed its investigations Tuesday morning.

District Clerk's Office.
The following cases were filed: James Richardson vs. Verter Richardson, divorce.

G. C. Kent et al vs. Charles G. Jester et al, debt and foreclosure on lot 12 block 533 Corsicana.

Warrantee Deeds.
Troy Henderson et ux to Carlton Dobbs, lot 6, block 2, Price addition, Kerens, \$10 and other considerations.

S. W. Burdine to A. R. Mauldin, 35 acres Jane M. Cazeau survey, \$359.70.

Trustee's Deed.
B. L. Dyers, trustee for J. F. Dyer et ux to S. W. Burdine, 35 acres Jane M. Cazeau survey, \$360.

Marriage License.
Jesse Reed and Berta May Johnson.

Administrator's Deed.
W. W. Harris, administrator of the estate of Mrs. Johnnie B. McCluney, to J. O. Burke, \$20.40 acres J. H. H. Burke "Home Farms" \$7,426.87.

Royalty Contract.
E. Zadek to Mrs. Bertha Z. Ellis, 1-128th royalty interest in 10.34 acres Joseph Broyles survey, \$5 and other considerations.

Judicial Court.
Two were fined on charges of drunkenness Monday by Judge W. W. Clifton. One was arrested by Deputy Constable John Harris and the other by Deputy Sheriff E. B. Bass.

Sheriff's Office.
Sheriff Jack Floyd arrested a negro Monday night and lodged him in the county jail on a pistol carrying charge.

COMMENCEMENT AT STATE HOME TO BE HELD ON MAY 28

Commencement exercises for the graduating class of the State Home high school will be held Thursday night, May 28, it has been announced by J. S. Halley, superintendent.

Various programs will be presented during the week of the final exercises. Among these will be the junior-senior banquet which will be held on Wednesday night, May 27. An extra program will be held Saturday night at 8 o'clock.

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With every assurance of our kindest regards, we are and sincere friends.

Finally yours,
Navarro County Medical Society,
By Wm. T. Shell, Jr. Secy.

FUNERAL SERVICES TUESDAY AFTERNOON FOR J. W. HODGE

Funeral services for J. W. Hodge, aged 56 years, well known farmer of this section, who died on the Clay Nash farm six miles west of Corsicana on the Corbet road Monday night at 10 o'clock following a lingering illness, were held Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the family residence with burial in Oakwood cemetery.

The services were conducted by Rev. J. Howard Williams, pastor of the First Baptist church. He had resided on Judge Nash's farm for the past 25 years.

Surviving are two sons, R. M. Hodges, Corbet road; and W. L. Hodges, St. Jo; two daughters, Mrs. W. L. Draper, Burk Burnett, and Mrs. J. N. Richardson, Embree, and two sisters, Mrs. Lizzie Howell, Athens, and Mrs. Nellie Robinson, Concho.

Pallbearers were gone Harris, J. Cook, Dan Tucker, May Owens, Beaton Owens and Jesse Howell. Friends were honorary pallbearers.

The funeral was directed by the Corley-McMahon Funeral Home.

Youthful Farm Hand Confessed Double Murder

CANTON, O., May 12.—Authorities announced today that Ray Wilt, 17-year-old farm hand, confessed he killed Edward S. Thomas, 46, invalid farmer, and his wife, Ethel, 44.

DR. S. P. BROOKS, PRESIDENT BAYLOR UNIVERSITY, DEAD

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years old and until he was 22 he had received no formal education. After receiving an A. B. from Baylor, he studied at Yale, then at the University of Michigan and at McKinley. He was recalled to Baylor as professor of history and economics and was elected president while he was studying for his doctor's degree at Yale. During his presidency the institution increased its enrollment fourfold and added several new school departments.

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Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at an hour yet undesignated, from Waco Hall, main auditorium of the school. Dr. J. M. Dawson, pastor of the First Baptist church of Waco and lifelong friend of Dr. Brooks, will officiate with George W. Truett of Dallas now enroute to Waco from Birmingham, Ala., where he was attending the Southern Baptist General Convention.

Dean W. S. Allen, acting president of the school, announced that classes were suspended until Monday. Served Long.

Dr. Samuel Parker Brooks, who for more than a quarter of a century served as the president of Baylor University, did not have the opportunities of even a common school education until he was 22 years old. His fight upward among students to a place of prominence among the nation's educators came when he had supported his invalid father for several years by working as a farm laborer and as a section hand on the Santa Fe lines in Johnson county, Texas.

Dr. Brooks was born in Millidgeville, Georgia, December 4, 1863. His father, Rev. S. E. Brooks, a Baptist minister, moved to Texas when the son was five years old, and located in Johnson county at Joshua.

Having had a consuming desire for an education since childhood, however, the young man was not discouraged by the lack start in schooling. At the age of 23 he taught a small rural school in Johnson county from the proceeds of which work he was able to enter the high school department of Baylor at Waco at the age of 24, and continued his work in the institution until he was graduated with the A. B. degree in 1883 at the age of 30. Following his graduation at Baylor he entered Yale University from which he received another degree in 1894. He then returned to Texas where he taught for a while as principal of a public school at Waco before being called to the chair of history and economics at Baylor University.

Named President in 1902.
After several years on the Baylor faculty, Dr. Brooks returned to Yale University to take his master's degree, and it was while pursuing his work there he was elected president of Baylor and returned to his alma mater as chief executive in the summer of 1902.

Under his leadership Baylor University more than trebled its resources and quadrupled its student body, greatly enlarged its curriculum and increased its academic standing among the other institutions of this country. It was under Dr. Brooks' administration that the schools of education, law, and business, and many other departments were established. All the medical units at Dallas and the Baylor Hospital also came into being under his leadership.

Interested in General Education.

Although his chief interests were devoted to Baylor University Dr. Brooks was active in promoting the cause of education in a general way and it was upon his call that the Texas Association of Colleges were organized on the Baylor campus in 1906. He was likewise vitally interested in public school and higher education in the state institutions and spoke extensively in behalf of general and Christian education in every section of the state.

In his early career as a member of the Baylor faculty he taught the first course in sociology ever given in this state, and in 1905 he was elected president of the Southern Sociological Con-

gress. Indicating the civic interests of Dr. Brooks, he was vice-president of the American Peace Society, spoke extensively in various parts of America in behalf of international peace, and in 1907 organized the Texas Peace Society, the first state peace body ever formed in this country.

He was interested also in the matter of good roads and spoke over Texas in the interest of pending bond issues that made the present good roads system of the state possible. At the time of his death he was a member of the Brazos Valley Improvement Association which had for its object

COURTHOUSE NEWS

District Court
The Navarro county grand jury was still in session Thursday morning.

District Clerk's Office
The following cases were filed: Lillian Sisson vs. Faye Sisson, divorce; Pauline Jones vs. Ray Jones, divorce; Joe Henry Williams vs. Ruby Williams, divorce.

Marriage License
Loyd Pillans and Myrtle Parker.

Constable's Office
Constable C. P. Brooks announced Thursday morning that J. M. Massey of Corsicana had been appointed as a deputy constable out of his office and had assumed his duties.

the reclamation of overflow lands in the Brazos valley.

While Dr. Brooks joined many other Texans in voting for Herbert Hoover in 1928, he considered himself a democrat and was widely used in various parts of the country as a speaker in behalf of the democratic ticket in 1932 when Woodrow Wilson was elected president the first time.

Active In Religious Circles.

Dr. Brooks was active in various circles. From 1914 to 1917 he was president of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, and in 1910 and again in 1917 he was elected vice-president of the Southern Baptist Convention. In 1924 and 1925 he was president of the Southern Baptist Education Association and at the time of his death was vice-president of the board of trustees of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky. In January of 1931, he was invited by the Baptist Bible Institute to deliver

Tharp lectures in "The Preacher from a Layman's Point of View."

In 1895, Dr. Brooks married Miss Mattie Sims, of Cleburne, a sweetheart from childhood, who survives him along with two children. They are Miss Aurelia Brooks, a member of the English Unit, Baylor, and Sims Brooks, a Waco attorney. The president has one grand-daughter and is survived also by a brother, Prof. George Brooks of the state school for the deaf at Austin.

Dr. Brooks was a member of a number of Masonic bodies, the Macabees, and the Rotary Club. Numerous colleges over the country had conferred on him the honorary degree of LL.D.

Neff Is Probable Successor Brooks

WACO, May 14.—(P)—It was apparent today that Neff would be no hinderance in filling the vacancy at Baylor University caused by the death of Dr. S. P. Brooks president for more than 28 years.

Ultimate selection of former Gov. Pat M. Neff, close personal friend of Dr. Brooks as executive head of the university, was regarded as a strong probability. Mr. Neff has been chairman of the board of trustees for years and closely identified with its work and policies and lay leader of the Baptist denomination in Texas.

The Neff has almost a six-year term as railroad commissioner to serve, but some of his friends believed he would resign if his state office should the Baylor presidency be offered him.

Waco members of the board of trustees expressed belief that there is no emergency demanding an immediate filling of the presidency. Both the teaching and administrative staffs have worked together in perfect harmony and cooperation, members of the board said.

The board has delegated to Dean W. S. Allen the responsibility of representing the president in all matters during his illness and there is no reason to believe this same arrangement will not continue during the interim the board may find it desirable to consider all issues involved in the election of a man to succeed Dr. Brooks.

Others mentioned in connection with the presidency were Dean Allen, Dr. T. D. Brooks, dean of the department of education, and Dr. J. F. Kimball, vice president of the school and in active charge of the Baylor Medical College at Dallas.

Legislature Honors Educator.
AUSTIN, May 14.—(P)—The Texas legislature today adopted a resolution expressing deep regret at the death of Dr. S. P. Brooks, president of Baylor university. The house will adjourn today in honor of his memory. The resolu-

LAST OF ALLEGED FRANKSTON BANK ROBBERS ARRESTED

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then rushed in upon them. They said he admitted his identity.

Three other men charged in the Frankston robbery were arrested last January. Joel Carroll was captured after a gun fight with Earl Williams officers which he and an accomplice were wounded. W. W. Quinn and John C. Elg were arrested in connection with a Montgomery county robbery and later were identified as members of the Frankston bank robber quartet.

Wilson had been living near Ashdown with his wife and two daughters for about six weeks, under the name of L. L. Bishop. His wife is ill in a hospital at Hot Springs, Ark., and the two daughters are with her. Wilson formerly lived at LaRue, Texas.

PALESTINE, May 14.—(P)—Jack Wilson, one of four men indicted in connection with the \$1,000 robbery of the First State Bank of Frankston last December 10, today was reported held in jail at Texarkana after his arrest last night by Sheriff A. D. Brown of Anderson county.

His arrest was reported effected at a farmhouse near Ashdown, Ark., by a posse of citizens headed by Sheriff Brown and District Attorney T. E. Greenwood of Palestine. The four men who robbed the

tions were ordered printed in the journals of both houses.

Dr. Brooks was characterized as having exemplified the highest ideals of manhood during his life.

"Dr. S. P. Brooks was universally regarded as Waco's most valuable citizen," Lieut. Gov. Edgar E. Witt of Waco stated. "I doubt if in the whole state of Texas there is a man who has a greater influence for the upbuilding of youth and maintaining of high ideals of citizenship and right living. In his passing Texas has lost one of its foremost citizens."

Benedict Praises Brooks.

AUSTIN, May 14.—(P)—Glowing tributes to Dr. Samuel P. Brooks, president of Baylor university, who died early today in Waco after a lingering illness were expressed today by those who had known him for years as educator, college executive and personal friend.

"He was altogether splendid, not only as an educator but as a man," was the tribute of Dr. H. Y. Benedict, president of the University of Texas. "When you call him a 'fine person' you sum it all up."

Dr. Benedict commented on his remarkable rise from section hand worker to college president, declaring that when he assumed the presidency at Baylor at 38 he was one of the youngest college presidents in Texas. He also pointed out Dr. Brooks' interest in international peace and good will, declaring him a leader in those fields.

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PICKPOCKET HAS PRIDE; VOLUNTEERS TO GO TO PRISON

CHICAGO, May 14.—(P)—Someone may be money ahead because of David Miller's civic spirit.

"It seems best," said Miller, an alleged pickpocket, to Municipal Judge James J. McCarthy, "I will go to jail for the rest of the jubilee celebration."

There are large crowds on the streets of Chicago these days and Judge McCarthy did not hesitate in accepting Miller's suggestion.

Frankston bank escaped after a gun fight with two Anderson county officers.

Search for Wilson. A Hunt county man, had extended over several states. He was expected to be brought back to Palestine.

Joel Carroll, W. W. Quinn and J. C. Elg also were indicted in connection with the robbery. Carroll is in the Anderson county jail and Quinn and Elg are in the state penitentiary at Huntsville, serving sentences from Montgomery county assessed them for bank robbery.

DIES IN AUSTIN

MEXIA, May 14.—(Spl.)—Frank P. Glenn, 74, for many years a resident of Mexia, was buried in City cemetery Tuesday after services conducted by the Rev. J. H. Baldridge, Methodist pastor. Mr. Glenn died in Austin Monday. Surviving is one daughter, Mrs. Enis R. Baithrop, of Ennis.

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REPUBLICANS TAKE CASH AND PROPERTY DEPOSED MONARCH

(Continued from page 1).
the republican government today to turn over to the minister of finance, Indalecio Prieto, all funds credited to Alfonso De Bourbon, the deposed king, who is in exile in Paris.

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STORMY SESSION FORECAST FOR COMMISSION EUROPEAN UNION AT GENEVA FRIDAY

GENEVA, May 14.—(P)—A stormy session with Soviet Russia and the Austro-German customs union in the spotlight is forecast for the commission on European Union which resumes its work here tomorrow.

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themselves the right to decide on the admission or non-admission of another group of European states to a community which claims the title of "Pan-European".

The Austro-German customs union will be introduced by Dr. Julius Curtius, German foreign minister. This disturbing question will be considered by the League of Nations' council next week.

SURRENDERS FOR SHOOTING LONGVIEW, May 14.—(P)—Fred Allen, 30, who said his home was in radley, Ark., surrendered to Sheriff Martin Hayes in connection with the fatal shooting of H. M. (Mac) Greene, 28, last night in a Kilgore barber shop.

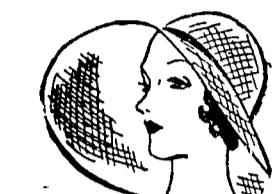
Allen would make no statement. He said he came to Kilgore from Cleveland, Okla.

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LADIES' SLIPPERS

DIZZY DEAN WINS FOURTH GAME TO PUT BUFFS BACK IN LOOP LEAD

DUMOVICH STOPS
CATS; SPUDS WIN
STEERS SWAMPED

NEW TWISTS GIVEN TEXAS
LEAGUE STANDING BY WED-
NESDAY CONTESTS

BY BILL PARKER
(Associated Press Sports Writer)
Wednesday night at Shreveport, Jerome "Dizzy" Dean, the boy who was packed and shipped back to the Houston Buffaloes because the St. Louis Cardinals claimed they had too many good pitchers, hurled his fourth straight win and back on top went the Buffaloes.

Dean let the Shreveport crew register two runs in the first two innings—after that he handed them whitewash for a 6 to 2 decision. Dean's fourth consecutive triumph, and Fort Worth's 7 to 1 defeat by the Galveston Buccaneers, gave the up and down Texans a new pennant marathon in second place and the Buffaloes again in charge of the pennant parade with a half game lead.

Abe Miller hurled six innings for Shreveport and only eighteen batters faced him. But Miller's fine relief hurling could not erase the second inning when Houston charged across with five runs, driving Estrada to the bench and treated the veteran Joe Pate just as bad.

Cats Are Routed.

Dumovich southpawed the Fort Worth Cats into a 7 to 1 defeat at Fort Worth to help his Buccaneers square the series at all. Dumovich found trouble aplenty the last three innings, but had enough stuff to escape without further Fort Worth threats turning the tide.

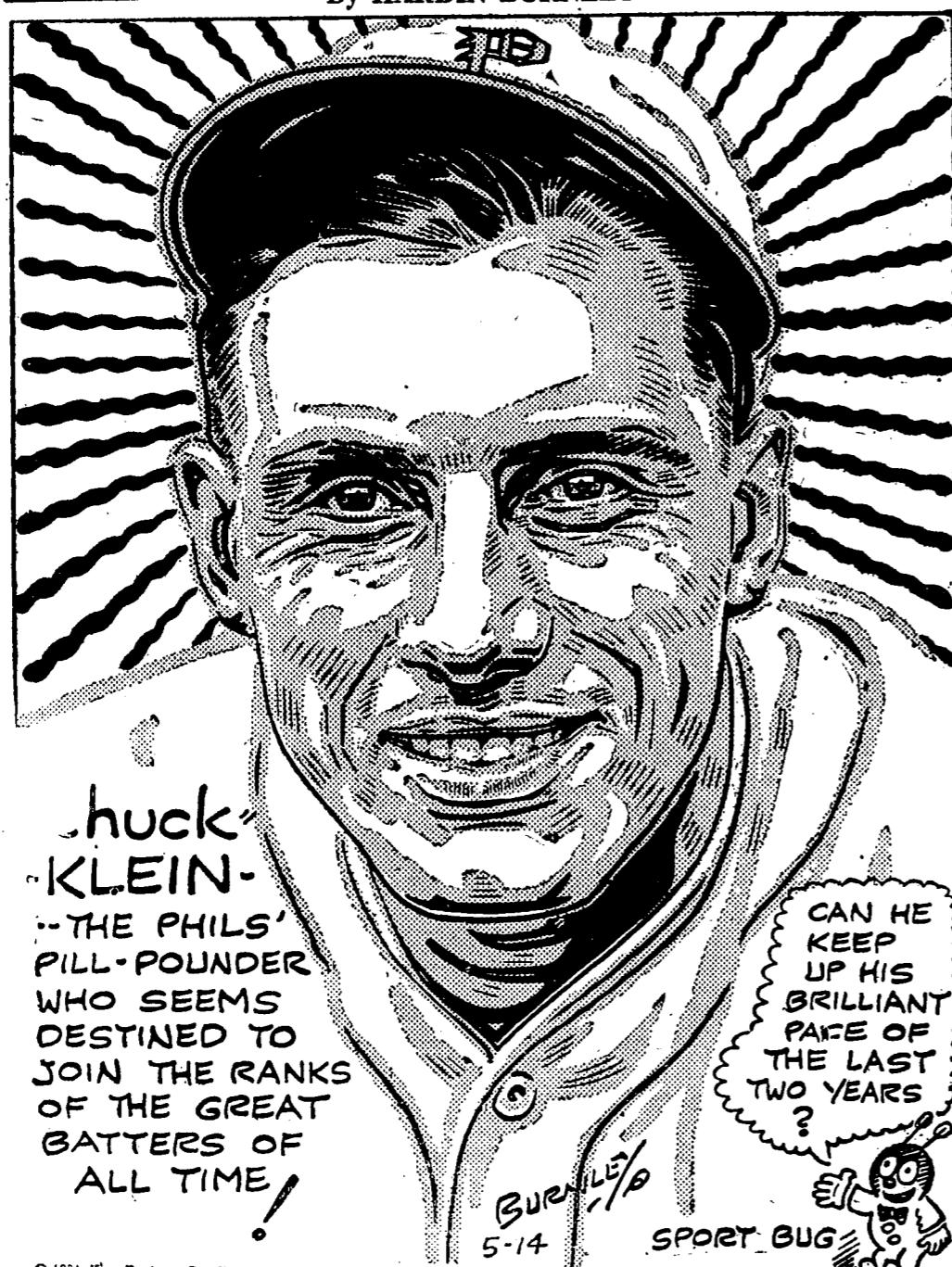
Up at Wichita Falls, the Spudders and San Antonio staged a field day with the former victorious, 12 to 7. In order to square their series with San Antonio the Spudders were forced to rampage for six runs in the seventh inning after San Antonio had scored four runs in the first half of the same inning.

At Dallas, the Beaumont Exporters made it two straight over the Steers with a 12 to 3 verdict. The Steers scored a run in the first inning, and when it looked like a mound battle between Garland of Dallas and Malicky of Beaumont, but Garland, backed by miserable support, went to pieces in the third to let Beaumont score five runs. The Exporters simply bunched fourteen base hits with four walks, seven stolen bases, three wild pitches plus all those Dallas errors to take the game back.

JOE VOSNIK BENCHED
CLEVELAND, May 14.—(P)—Joe Vosniak, Cleveland's sensational recruit of the early days of the American League season, is going to warm the bench for a while at least. Manager Roger Peckinpaugh said Vosniak would be supplanted in left field today by the veteran Charley Jamieson. Vosniak's batting has steadily declined and Peck believes a rest of a week or so is the cure.

"The Best Since Speaker"

By HARDIN BURNLEY



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OUTSTANDING outfields which Speaker for years snagged have been many in the major leagues since Tris Speaker was finally retired by time a few seasons back but none probably has shown the combined hitting power and fielding class of Charles H. "Chuck" Klein of the Phillies. Like the immortal Speaker, "Chuck" patrols center field. Klein was reaching for a batte back in 1907 as Tris was breaking in with the Boston Red Sox back in 1907. When the old "Gray Eagle" left the majors in 1928, "Chuck" was just getting his start with the Phils. He's now 25 and already has been a sensation for two years.

Klein has yet to develop the sheer grace and unerring skill with

which Speaker for years snagged difficult flies, but that should come with more experience. Thus far, "Chuck" has been a much longer and heavier hitter than Speaker even in his glorious prime. Klein's two-year (1929-30) batting average was .369. Last season he drove in 158 runs for the Phils, and—in the popular specialty—slammed out 40 home runs, three less than he poled the previous year. His fielding, while satisfactory, did not land him in the topnotch ten among the gardeners in either 1929 or 1930, but he did compile the unique record of 42 assists last season. These brief statistics give a vivid idea of how potent a player "Chuck" has been thus far with the Phils.

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Fights Last Night (By The Associated Press)

Cleveland, O.—Jackie Brady, White Sox to nine hits in eleven innings to win third straight victory, 7-5.

Lou Gehrig, Yankees—Doubled in eighth inning bringing in Reese with run that beat Browns 3 to 2.

Lloyd Brown, Senators—Turned back Cleveland with eight hits for 9 to 3 victory.

Marty McManus, Tigers—Drove in deciding run in 2-1 triumph over Red Sox.

SPORT NOTES

By PAUL MOORE :: Daily Sun Sports Editor

Bull Montana and Walter Logan are the headliners in tonight's wrestling affair, and indications Thursday morning were that a large crowd would witness the opening matches in the new site—the Hotel Plaza building, corner South Main street and West Seventh avenue.

The annual track and field meet for the Texas conference athletes gets under way Thursday at Brownwood and will be completed Friday. Howard Payne is the pre-meet favorite to cop honors.

Considerable interest is being shown in the Southwestern conference golf tournament which opened in Dallas Thursday, with 20 odd golfers participating.

Davis Clark, Oak Cliff, defeated Jimmy Wallin, Central High, Fort Worth for the Texas high school golf title Thursday in Waco. Corsicana high school competed in the team meet in Waco Monday, but did not participate in the individual golfers.

Houston returned to the top of

the percentage table in the Texas League Thursday by downing Shreveport while Galveston won, according to the Fort Worth Cats. Houston is back a half game to the good. Fort Worth and Houston have been seesawing for the leadership for several days.

Beaumont turned in her second victory over the Dallas Steers in Dallas Wednesday afternoon, 12-3, and the Steers' 14-day home stay has not started off auspiciously.

Dizzy Dean, Houston, turned in another victory Wednesday night when he downed the Shreveport

Cotton McGee, high school lad, football player will be one of the principals in a preliminary match Thursday night.

Home run hitters Wednesday included: Cochrane, Philadelphia Athletics; Miller, Philadelphia Athletics; Averill, Cleveland; Tolson, Dallas.

The Southwestern conference

baseball season will be concluded this week end, and the title lies between the Texas Longhorns, Pennental champions, and the Texas Aggies. All other clubs are out of the running. The Longhorns are one-half game behind the Aggies and have two games to play while the only game remaining on the Aggie schedule is with the Longhorns on Kyle Field Saturday. The Longhorns meet the Rice Owls Friday.

Louisville—Earl Maistro, Chicago, knocked out Ward Sparks, Detroit, (3). Frankie Fumo, Cincinnati, outpointed Bill Thomas, Louisville, (8), newspaper decision.

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EASTERN CLUBS CONTINUE HOLD BALANCE POWER AMERICAN LOOP

ATHLETICS GAIN
ON FIELD; YANKS
NOSE OUT BROWNS

WES FERRELL TREATED
ROUGHLY BY SENATORS;
NO NATIONAL GAMES

BY GAYLE TALBOT, JR.,
(Associated Press Sports Writer.)
Though held back by cold and wet weather since they reached the farthest western outposts, the eastern teams already have managed to demonstrate pretty conclusively that they still hold the balance of power in the American league.

They have won eleven of their first fourteen inter-sectional engagements. Through yesterday's games the champion Philadelphia Athletics had scored three straight over their western rivals, the New York Yankees had won a pair between rains, Washington had won three out of four and the Boston Red Sox three out of five.

But for a staunch stand by the Detroit Tigers the rout of the western clubs so far would have been complete. The Tigers have won all three victories credited to their section. Cleveland's Indians have made the most disappointing showing against the invaders, losing four straight and dropping within a week from the top to fifth place.

Homers Aid Athletics

The Athletics, who went into first place Tuesday, continued yesterday to roll down the westerners. They went 11 innings to defeat the Chicago White Sox 7 to 5 after home runs by Cochran and Miller in the eighth and ninth innings had enabled them to tie the score.

Lou Gehrig doubled in the eighth inning to score Jimmy Reese and give the Yankees a close 3 to 2 decision over the St. Louis Browns in their first meeting of the year.

Milt Pappas, Red Sox right-hander, lost a tough 2 to 1 verdict to Detroit when errors helped the Tigers score.

Wes Ferrell was driven from the mound under a four-inning barrage as the Washington Senators won their opener from Cleveland, 9 to 3.

Rain and cold weather on the eastern seaboard threw the National league for a total loss.

Major League Leaders
(Including Games of May 13.)
(By The Associated Press.)

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Batting—Hornby, Cubs, .362;
Roettger, Reds, .351;
Runs—L. Waner, Pirates, 23;
R. Phillips, 22;
Runs Batted In—Hornby, Cubs;
Traynor, Pirates, 19;
Hits—Traynor, Pirates, 31; L.
Waner, Pirates, 30;
Doubles—Herman, Robins, 10;
Bottomley, Cardinals, 8;
Triples—Bartell, Phillies; Orsatto, Cardinals, 4;
Home Runs—Hornby, Cubs;
Klein, Phillies, 6;
Stolen Bases—Comorosky, Pilates; Berger, Braves, 5.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Batting—Simmons, Athletics, .41; Alexander, Tigers; Ruth, Yankees, .408;
Runs—Myer, Senators, 22; Blue-White Sox; Fonseca, Indians, 21;
Runs Batted In—Cronin, Senators, 7; Simmons, Athletics; Gehrig, Yankees; Averill, Indians, 21;
Hits—Cronin, Senators; Alexander, Tigers, 40;
Doubles—Alexander, Tigers, 12;
Webb, Red Sox, 11;
Triple—H. Inc. Senators; Simmons, Athletics, 4;
Home Runs—Stone, Tigers; Simmons, Athletics, 5;
Stolen Bases—Johnson, Tigers; Cissell, White Sox, 6.

**Semi-Final Game
Of Baseball Season
Southwest Conference**

HOUSTON, May 14.—(P)—The semi-final game of the 1931 southwest conference baseball championship is scheduled here tomorrow between Rice and the University of Texas.

The Owls are out of the race, having won only three games in nine starts, but the Longhorns tomorrow will be fighting for a win and a tie for first place with Texas A. and M. If the Longhorns win, they will be at the conference championship on the outcome of their scheduled game Saturday at College Station against the Aggies.

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AND VAN RYN MAKE
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OUR TENNIS "A.E.F."

Bull Montana and Walter Logan Appear In Headliner Go Tonight

Everything is in readiness for the wrestling matches Thursday night (tonight) at 8:15 o'clock at the Home Pace building, South Main street and West Seventh avenue, when Bull Montana, hard looker and performer of the ring and movies, clashes with Walter Logan, rough and ready grappler, in the headliner attraction. In the semi-final attraction, the famous Flying Dutchman will meet Doc Poole, local favorite, and L. Moran, promoter, announced Thursday morning. Logan was originally carded to meet Poole in the semi-final setto, but the plans were changed at the last minute.

Cotton McGee, high school football player, who is also a wrestler, will be one of the principals in a preliminary attraction.

GOLF AS CHAMPIONS PLAY IT



TOO MUCH ADVICE IS
ONLY ADDED CONFUSION

Should an average player attempt to remember everything he has been told by a professional?

Answered By
ABE G. ESPINOSA

While an attempt to remember too many things that he has been told may result in confusion, it is well for the average player to try to remember the points given him by the pro. These were all very likely given him for some purpose in connection with his game, and for that reason should be put into practice. This, of course, holds good until the points on which he has been given him become automatic. Until then, the best thing that an average player can do is to confine himself to practice in some quiet corner of the course.

On this basis, fight experts estimated Schmeling's pay for the 15-round bout at approximately \$300,000. Stirling's remuneration would be about \$93,750. The total gate receipts have been estimated at \$950,000.

**Schmeling to Get
Forty Per Cent of
Net Gate of Fight**

CLEVELAND, May 14.—(P)—Examination of the contracts for the Schmeling-Stirling heavyweight championship bout here July 3 disclosed today that Champion Max Schmeling will receive 40 per cent of the gate receipts after deductions for expenses and taxes. The contender, W. L. (Young) Stirling will take 12 1/2 per cent.

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FINAL WORKOUTS FOR ENTRIES IN KENTUCKY DERBY

FIELD OF FOURTEEN MORE OR LESS CERTAIN; USE STARTING GATE

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 14.—(P)
Final workouts today completed the training of the 12 or 14 three-year-olds expected to start Saturday in the fifty-seventh running of the \$50,000 added Kentucky Derby.

A definite estimate of the size of the field cannot be made until the starting horses are named through the entry box tomorrow. No speed workouts will be attempted the day before the race, but the starters will be given brief warm-ups up the hills.

With a field of 14 or less almost certain, the derby will be sent from the post from a starting gate for the first time in history, assuring a quicker start. The gate accommodates just 14 horses. No fillies, which are conceded five pounds in the weights, are expected to accept the issue Saturday. Each colt will carry 126 pounds over the mile and a quarter journey. Post time for the derby, the fifth race, probably will be 5 p. m., C. S. T.

Southwest College Golf Tournament Is Opened in Dallas

DALLAS, May 14.—(P)—Competition in the fourth annual southwest conference golf championship was set to start here today at the Dallas Club with twenty-seven collegiate golfers entered. Arkansas was the only conference member not represented.

The conference team championship was to be decided today in medal play, in this event, the team boasting four players with the lowest medal total would be awarded the trophy. Each school was allowed six entries, the first four low to count.

After the qualifying round and team championship, the sixteen low players will compete through Saturday for the conference individual championship in match play. The final match will be for gold.

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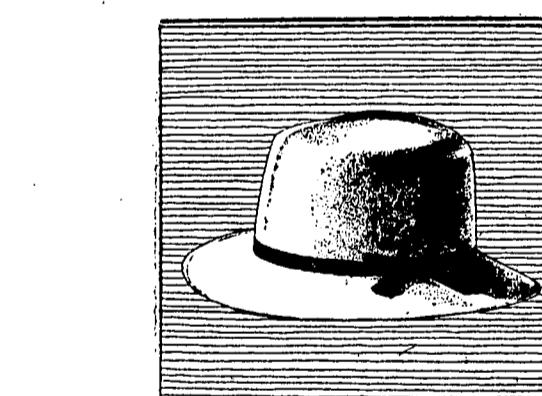
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GROESBECK, May 14.—(Spl.)—A hung jury resulted in the trial of the case of Tom Matthews versus the Texas Utilities company in 87th district court here. The jury was reported deadlocked 6 to 6. Matthews sought \$25,000 damages from the utility company for personal injuries sustained several years ago when his welding shop blew up. He claimed a spark from the electric wire caused the explosion.

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Woman Wins Hudson Classic



Winner of the inboard Class A motorboat race from Albany to New York, Mrs. Mildred Hickey of Shrewsbury, Mass., is shown above with her mechanic in her winning runabout "Miss Albany" after the race. Mrs. Hickey drove her boat over the line second to Walter Peterson, of Brooklyn. She was, however, first of the Class A contestants to finish.

ARGENTINE GOLFER TIES HORTON SMITH FOR FIRST PLACE

SOUTHPORT, Eng., May 14.—(P)—Horton Smith from Missouri and Marco Churio from the Argentine today tied for first place with only a few more to finish in the second round of the \$7,500 Southport professional golf tournament with 36-hole totals of 146.

They were one stroke ahead of Henry Cotton, young British professional who led yesterday's first round with a 70 but could do no better than 77 today.

Smith had a stroke advantage on Churio yesterday but he took a 75 today to the South American's 74.

Churio has been one of the sensations of the tournament with his steady play. After a short start today in which he took four on short, par three holes, he settled down to finish out his round in par figures.

Joe Turnesa, the fourth and last American to finish, turned in a poor 79 today to give him a second round total of 154.

When all the scores were in, Smith and Churio still were in the lead with their 146's.

The final 36 holes of the tournament will be played tomorrow.

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OPPOSITION VOICED AGAINST PRORATION BILL NOW PENDING

EAST TEXAS OIL FRATERNITY HELD MASS MEETING IN TYLER MONDAY NIGHT

TYLER, May 12.—(P)—Delegates of citizens, lease land owners and independent oil operators from 15 East Texas towns laid protest against the Housley proration bill now pending in the legislature at a mass meeting held here last night.

Speakers included Cone Johnson, member of the state highway commission; former United States Senator Earle B. Moore; T. N. Jones, veteran East Texas political campaigner, and Carl L. Estes, secretary of the East Texas Lease Land Royalty and Producers' association.

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**HELD CONNECTION
ALLEGED FORGERY
STATE CERTIFICATES**

(Continued from Page 1) forged certificates which led to Ray's arrest. Filing of charges was being held up pending the making of photostatic copies of some of the alleged forged certificates.

Assistants in the attorney general's department stated Ray had made a statement.

Bryant said the alleged forgeries totaled at least \$2,000. He stated Ray had said they were committed over a period of three or four years.

Goss arrested Ray yesterday afternoon. He and Sheppard drove nearly all night returning to Austin, reaching here about 4 o'clock this morning.

Ray was questioned all morning by Bryant. He signed confession admitting several forgeries, Bryant said.

Bryant said Ray had been placed in jail and the grand jury would begin investigating the case early this morning.

Separate complaints will be filed on each of ten or fifteen alleged forgeries, Bryant stated.

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The governor mentioned appropriations, congressional deratification and oil conservation as some of the bills which should be passed and expressed doubt final action could be obtained on all these before scheduled adjournment a week from tomorrow. The Housley oil conservation bill was introduced only last week and he said he could not act on it until last night.

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(Continued from Page 1) The house resolution placed the amount of exemptions to \$2,000. The house immediately concurred in the senate amendment. The proposed amendment will be submitted to the people during the general election in 1932.

Although an effort was made to launch an economy wave when the senate began considering the \$17,431,772.69 educational appropriations bill, it was passed and its proposed appropriations intact.

An amendment by Senator Moore of Greenville prohibiting a man and his wife from teaching in state institutions where their combined salaries were more than \$200 a month, was tacked to the bill.

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BANKS IN OKLAHOMA AND ARKANSAS ALSO REPORTED ED ROBBED TUESDAY

SANTA ROSA, N. M., May 12.—(P)—Three youthful, well-dressed bandits robbed the First National Bank here this morning and escaped with approximately \$8,000 in cash and \$40,000 in securities, after bravely the gunfire of a deputy sheriff.

Two of the robbers, wearing

dark glasses, ordered Harold Aull, cashier; Miss Antonia Sanchez, assistant cashier; and Ernest Tipton, bookkeeper, to lie on the floor while they scooped up

all the money in sight.

As they opened the safe door, a burglar alarm rang. They seized a bundle of securities, principally federal and municipal, and dashed to an automobile where a third man was seated.

Deputy Sheriff Pablo Baca, attracted by the noise of the burglar, rushed to the scene and fired a volley of shots at the fleeing automobile.

The robbers left the main road to Tucumcari about 18 miles from Santa Rosa and drove eastward toward Amarillo, Texas. Santa Rosa is 50 miles west of Tucumcari.

Oklahoma Bank Robbed

MUSKOGEE, Okla., May 12.—(P)—Two men robbed the State Bank of Ketona, Okla., of approximately \$2,000 shortly after noon today and escaped in a small gray automobile westward toward Stigler.

E. E. Sewell, cashier, reported he and his wife, the bookkeeper, were alone in the bank when the robbers entered.

Frank Merriman, a boy, entered while the robbery was in progress.

The robbers forced Mrs. Sewell and the boy to stand against a wall with their hands up while Sewell scooped up the money in the till and handed it to the men.

All three were forced into the vault, but parts of the robbers

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Of the King-Rights of Jesus Old and Recent Recognitions

Some Present-Day Demonstrations Which Start
Thoughts of the Triumphal Entry -- Multitudes
Who Acclaim Christ As King.

BY WILLIAM T. ELLIS.
Down in Florida I sat on the platform of a community Good Friday service in a crowded theater, for which the business of the city had been suspended. All sorts of people, local residents and winter visitors, made up the congregation. As the old hymns of the Crucifixion were sung the faces of the intent hearers grew more and more wistful and interested. A Salvation Army captain read the Gospel story of the Cross, and an Episcopal rector read the appropriate prayers. The speaker, one of the winter visitors unfolded the significance of the Cross to all of life's many interests. From beginning to end of his address, he talked in a layman's modern language of the present meaning of the Cross.

Before my eyes, that audience moved and fused in a great common experience of devotion. With consecration fervor they sang "Just As I Am" and then moved quietly out, to extend the influence of the service into the entire community. Ministers and laity spoke of the meeting as a wonder right.

How may we account for that service, and thousands more like it throughout the land; and for the millions of persons who assembled three days later, for outdoor Easter sunrise services? For the facts are phenomena that need to be accounted for. What force has gripped the hearts of these multitudes, many of whom are men and women entirely outside of the churches? No superficial whim will get people out of their beds long before daylight, to journey to a distant Easter rendezvous. These same persons would not rise from their slumbers at that hour even to snatch the morning newspaper to read the reports of the latest crime, or sport contest, or disaster, or political event. They would not do it to see the President or the King of Great Britain pass by, or any lesser notable.

Has Something New Happened?

Our answer is simple and lies on the surface. The phenomenon is but a repetition of the Triumphal Entry of Jesus. Christ somehow appeals to the depths of the human heart. For his sake men and women will do what they will not do for their own pecuniary profit or for their own pleasure. The instinct to pay homage to Him, to give a new sense of His reality and presence; to receive an inner benediction from Him, is as wide as Christendom.

It needs an Easter demonstration to awaken the world to a fresh appreciation of the popularity of Jesus Christ. In His memory, and at His feet, all churches become The Church. Speculation and strife cease at the foot of His Cross. Man's materialism and vainglorious philosophy fall silent before the figure of the Crucified One who is also life's Sovereign and Saviour.

Once the city of Florence formally stated Jesus to be its King. Were the issue plainly and publicly joined, He could be made ruler of every community in Christendom. The Triumphal Entry could be repeated ten thousand times, were He to appear.

When The Crown Went Wild.

Like so much else in the Bible, the Triumphal Entry smacks of the soil wherein it was enacted. This is an oriental scene. Ex citable Easterners, deeply stirred by the presence of multitudes assembled for the Passover, and anticipated nervously by the high altitude of Jerusalem, "let themselves go" in the fervor of their acclaim of Jesus, whom they expected at this time to assume temporal sovereignty over the Jewish nation. As the crafty, watchful Pharisees said, "Lo, the world is gone after Him."

As the little company of disciples, walking beside their Leader, Who rode a lowly colt, rounded the shoulder of Olivet, they were expected and were visible from the hills of the City of Jerusalem. At once the multitudes began to stream forth from the city gates. The hour was at hand, the long dreamed-of hour of Israel's redemption. This Jesus, by His marvelous words and works had proved Himself the Expected One. Earlier He had declined to be made king; but now in this dramatic hour and place, He could not refuse. Patriotism and religion flamed in a burning zeal in the hearts of the throng.

Oriental-wise (I have seen the like in Bible Lands), the multitude stripped the trees of their branches as they moved out across the short space intervening between the city and the Mount of Olives. They leaped and shouted in a delirium of excitement. Cloaks were doffed and waved in the air, and later strewed in the King's pathway. The great phrases of the Psalms sprang to the people's lips. Little children added their treble voices. All the pent-up hopes of years burst into expression, as their "Hosannas" rent the air. What a day of days have we shared!

Tears In The Triumph.

Not only did Jesus permit this, but He also invited it. This was one of His due hours. When Pharisees asked Him to rebuke

Dr. Roberts Rouses Public To Realize Sargon's Importance

So startling have been the results accomplished by Sargon that scores of outstanding physicians have broken the rule of a lifetime and given it their unqualified endorsement. Dr. C. J. Roberts, M.D., of Philadelphia, graduate University of Pennsylvania and for 26 years medical examiner for the Pennsylvania Railroad, said:

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STIMSON ORDERS STUDY PROTECTION GIVEN DIPLOMATS

ALL METHODS OF DEFENSE UNDER PROBE AFTER RAID BURGLARS WEDNESDAY

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SEVEN SENTENCE SERMONS.

Majesty is in personality and not in position.—Anon.

He that knows only how to enjoy and not endure is ill-fitted to go down the stream of life through such a world as this.—Henry Van Dyke.

No solemn sanctimonious face I'll pull, Nor think I pious when I'm only bilious.—Thomas Hood.

Henceforth I call you not ser-

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SPUDDERS GET EULLER
WICHITA FALLS, May 14.—(AP)—Acquisition of third baseman Walter Buller from the Milwaukee club was announced today by Secretary Guy Alroy of the Texas league club here. Buller, who

played third base for the Spudders last season, has been obtained on option of recall and is to report to the club here Sunday.

LITTON IS HONORED
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Majesty is in personality and not in position.—Anon.

He that knows only how to enjoy and not endure is ill-fitted to go down the stream of life through such a world as this.—Henry Van Dyke.

No solemn sanctimonious face I'll pull, Nor think I pious when I'm only bilious.—Thomas Hood.

Henceforth I call you not ser-

Kerosene 10c

High grade water-white Kerosene 10c. High grade gasoline 13c. Reduced prices on oils and expert repair work.

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How One Woman Lost 102 Lbs. of Fat

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Dear Friends:

You advertise Kruschen Salts for reducing, so I finally tried them and when I started I weighed 210 pounds and when I took them for a year and 3 weeks, I lost exactly 102 pounds.

I am 23 years old and I look at least 5 years younger now than I did, when I was fat. I have a picture of myself before and after so if you want to see them let me know.

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Women everywhere are overjoyed with this marvelous reducing treatment. Frequently pound by pound of surplus fat leaves and soon you possess that trim slender figure you've always craved.

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Windsor Gyrorator! Twice As Efficient as \$14.50 Washers of 10 Years Ago!

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Our 1921 Price Was \$2.35! Our Summer Sale Price—

\$1.00
Painted Awning stripe—tarp bound, Rust—proof—projecting arms.

6-lb. nickel-plated Iron tip back rest, grip handle—with cord.

Official league balls. Rubber centers. Fine-stitched horsehide covers.

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TEXAS PRORATION PROBLEMS BECOME MORE COMPLICATED

OPPONENTS OF EAST TEXAS OIL PRORATION TAKE CASE TO FEDERAL COURT

AUSTIN, May 12.—(P)—Hearing on the application of the MacMillan Petroleum corporation, operating in East Texas, for a temporary injunction restraining the railroad commission from enforcing its proration order for that area, will be held in federal court at San Antonio tomorrow. The hearing will be before Judge Duval West. Fred Upchurch, assistant attorney general representing the railroad commission, said he would endeavor to show the federal court did not have jurisdiction because the state was being sued. The federal court holds it had jurisdiction, a three-judge court will be necessary for the hearing on the permanent injunction.

AUSTIN, May 12.—(P)—The Texas oil proration problem was made complicated than ever today. Two suits to enjoin the proration of the East Texas field were filed yesterday, another was set for hearing and the railroad commission issued new rules regarding production in the new field.

Opponents of proration took their fight to the federal court for the first time when the MacMillan Petroleum corporation, a Delaware concern, attacked the order of the commission as it concerned the East Texas field. The petition stated proration in the East Texas field had such a widespread effect on market conditions it was necessary that enforcement of the order be enjoined to provide adequate relief.

The petition asked that the restraining order apply to all companies and persons affected by the restraining order apply to all companies and persons affected by the proration and in event this request was refused that it apply to the MacMillan properties.

Hearing on the injunction petition of the Central Pipe Line company, operating in the East Texas field, was set for May 22. Travis county district court. The application for a temporary injunction was overruled by District Judge J. D. Moore.

The third injunction suit was filed by the Nat Hunter Producing company and the Nat Hunter Oil company with wells in Rusk and Gregg counties. It was filed in Judge Moore's court by former Governor Dan Moody. The petition claimed the companies had wells capable of producing between 35,000 and 40,000 barrels daily.

New Safety Rules

The new rules adopted by the railroad commission dealt specifically with methods of drilling and completing wells and was aimed at protection of property and life. They were promulgated as emergency regulations and will replace existing rules immediately. Public hearings on the rules, however, will be held May 22.

The rules required the producing string of casing to be cemented by the pump and plug method and that blow out preventers be installed before pay formation was cored. Operators were ordered to refrain from drilling the maximum amount of pay and stoppage was ordered on every well at safe distance above the water line shown by the well log.

Use of casinghead gas for fuel and other purposes was encouraged but all such gas not utilized was ordered piped a safe distance from tank batteries, wells and buildings and burned.

Penalties for violation of the proration orders ceased with the filing of the injunction suits.

Cleveland Judge Refuses To Allow Injunction Filing

CLEVELAND, May 14.—(P)—Judge Manuel Levine, presiding judge of the court of appeals, today ordered the filing clerk of the court to reject an injunction petition filed today to stop the Schenck-Stribling heavyweight championship fight match here July 22.

Judge Levine said his court had no original jurisdiction in an injunction proceeding.

The petition filed in the name of David Fischer, an insurance agent, contended the title match would be a prize fight and that prize fighting is illegal in Ohio. It described the proposed battle as a "public nuisance" and as an event which would attract a dangerous and violent assemblage.

CHARGED IN SHOOTING.

LONGVIEW, May 14.—(P)—Ray Wasson was released under \$1,500 bond today on charges of assault to murder for the shooting and wounding Tuesday night of W. A. Parker. Reports today from the Shreveport, La., hospital, said Parker was expected to recover.

Baby Comes

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FOURTH MAN REPORTED HAVE MADE STATEMENT CONNECTION WITH CORSICANA KIDNAPPING

(Continued From Page 1.) to a private detective agency, and a third note demanding \$10,000 caused the reporting of the kidnapping to local officers.

Long Investigation

Investigations have been carried on for several months, and Hassell was the first to be arrested. The arrest was made Saturday night by Sheriff Rufus Pavehouse and City Detective Bruce Nutt.

All of the five men indicted are Navarro county products, although Caldwell has been residing in Waco for about two years, officers report, and owned an airplane there. He was arrested in Waco Tuesday and returned to Corsicana.

DETAILS OF THE LONG CHASE. INVESTIGATIONS AND ARRESTS OF THE FIVE MEN INDICTED WERE MADE IN THE OFFICE OF THE TEXAS BANKERS ASSOCIATION AND J. W. HOOPES, VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE MERCANTILE TRUST COMPANY OF DALLAS, WAS ELECTED PRESIDENT AT THE CONCLUDING SESSION OF THE CONVENTION HERE THIS MORNING. E. L. BOSTON OF THE ANGELTON STATE BANK OF ANGELTON, TEXAS, WAS NAMED TREASURER.

Attorney Miller, Detective Nutt and R. D. Fleming, police commissioner and member of the grand jury, present.

Trial of Charges May Be in Dallas

DALLAS, May 14.—(P)—Possibly five men indicted yesterday at Corsicana for kidnapping Robert Cerf, son of a Corsicana banker, last December, eventually would be tried in Dallas county, appeared here today.

Although young Cerf was kidnapped in Corsicana, he was held captive in a Dallas apartment house and the \$15,000 ransom allegedly was paid here to the abductors.

COUNTY ATTORNEY CLEO G. MILLER OF CORSICA was due to arrive here late today to confer with District Attorney William McCraw. They were expected to discuss the advisability of shifting the entire investigation and prosecution to Dallas.

N. Sutin Roberts, vice-president of the Corsicana bank of which Isaac N. Cerf, the youth's father, is president, conferred here yesterday with McCraw.

McCraw examined that in case the abductors used pistols or other firearms in kidnapping Cerf, they would be amenable to charges of robbery with firearms, an offense punishable by death.

Four of the men charged in the case were in jail at Corsicana but the fifth man was sought in Dallas.

RICE INSTITUTE HEAD DEPLORES BROOKS' DEATH

HOUSTON, May 14.—(P)—Dr. Edgar Odell Lovett, president of Rice Institute, today issued a statement deplored the death of S. S. Brooks of Baylor university.

"I great regret," said Dr. Lovett, "the passing of President Brooks. He spent his powers not only successfully in upbuilding Baylor university, but also liberally in the service of the state.

His friendly presence and wise counsel will be sorely missed by those who have to do with the educational enterprises of this section, whether of public or private foundation."

College "Students" Observe Anniversary Of Campus Rioting

CHICAGO, May 14.—(P)—The first anniversary of the University of Chicago riots staged last year to protest against campus student snobs has been obediently celebrated.

Two hundred students built a huge bon fire near the campus last night, fed it with lumber from the new men's dormitory and part of the university's tennis court bleachers.

Two mounted campus police, who tried to disperse the crowd, were greeted with overripe eggs, various soft fruit, and finally a barrage of whitewash.

The celebrants were finally dispersed by city police who sprayed them with water from a fire plug.

IN MEMORY.

Blessed is the man that walks not in the counsel of the ungodly nor stands in the way of sinners nor sitteth in the seat of the scornful but his delight is in the law of the Lord and in his law doth he meditate day and night. And he shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water that bringeth forth his fruit in his season. And whatsoever he doth shall prosper.

These words describe the Godly man and they come to my mind in thinking of my favorite.

F. M. Wrenack was a faithful servant of the Lord Jesus Christ, serving the Methodist church for many years. He was faithful to his church and all the works until his health failed and was a shut in for almost six years. He was old and stooped with age here but he has gone where we'll never grow old.

He was born Oct. 16, 1849, near Atlanta, Ga., went home in 1930, our mother went home July 1, 1930. He missed her but has gone to meet her and sing around the great white throne.

There was ten children, five living, five gone home to the beyond as I have often heard him say.

He taught us simple faith in God and his prayer was that we would be an unbroken family in heaven.

He was very tenderly laid to rest at the Craven Creek cemetery Nov. 1, 1930. As a day later the Lord called him to the last few days of his life here. I want to say appreciated his big heart and broad mindedness towards other beliefs. I feel that he has heard the greetings of the Master which we all covet. Well done good and faithful servant, enter thou into the day of the Lord. Truly all is well with him, who has been so true to that inner voice within his heart. The last words I heard him say, Lord have mercy on me and us.

All honored life a peaceful end. And heaven to crown it all.

Mark the perfect man and let hold the upright for the end of that man is peace.

MRS. A. T. WATSON

TEXAS BANKERS NEAR CONCLUSION ANNUAL SESSIONS

HOPPES FAVORED FOR PRESIDENT AND HARLINGEN CONVENTION CITY

SAN ANGELO, May 14.—(P)—Austin was selected as the 1932 meeting place of the Texas Bankers Association and J. W. Hoopes, vice-president of the Mercantile Trust company of Dallas, was elected president at the concluding session of the convention here this morning. E. L. Boston of the Angelton State Bank of Angelton, Texas, was named treasurer.

At the conclusion of the annual session, the members adjourned to the Hotel Harlingen for a luncheon.

W. H. Hoppes, president of the

Bankers Association, was elected

treasurer of the association.

Other officers elected were:

John W. McCraw, vice-president.

W. E. Nichols, secretary.

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KERENS FARMERS BUSY IN FIELDS DURING DAYLIGHT

KERENS. May 14.—(Spl.)—Farmers here are taking advantage of the fair weather and putting in full time. None are seen on the streets of Kerens except early in the morning and about dark. Crops have all been plowed out, some cotton as much as twice but none has been hoed. The plant is small, the farmers say, on account of the weather. Oats are as good as can be expected and binders will be going in a few days. Some farmers have already cut oats.

The cotton acreage, according to merchants, gin men and farmers, has been reduced under 15 per cent. under last year and the land planted in feedstuff. Kerens is not expected to receive the large cotton crop they have been receiving in former years.

BELL POINT

BELL POINT. May 14.—(Spl.)—Most of the farmers in this community will have to replant their cotton on account of the cold bad weather.

Leonard Ward and Mrs. Eddie Ward of Jester visited Mrs. J. E. Hiltner Thursday morning.

Dr. Russell and Mrs. Russell spent Tuesday afternoon with Mr. Martin Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Ivie of the Ridge community were in this community Thursday night.

J. L. Tadlock and daughter, Edna, spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Ivie.

Mrs. Ray Ivie spent Wednesday morning with Mrs. M. V. McCallum of Purdon.

Carl Smith, Dr. Russell and Buddie Kennemore were Hubbard visitors Wednesday morning.

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Clarence Putman, Mrs. Mollie Davis were Corsicana visitors Thursday.

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John Lee Gist and Miss Willie Freeman are visiting friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Mary Huston and Mrs. Joe Jones of Corsicana are visiting Mrs. Jones' brother, Elmore Horton.

G. A. Hodges of Purdon was in this community Sunday.

Evert Smith spent Sunday with J. L. Tadlock.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Ivie, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. and Mrs. Lewis Ivie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Horton.

Evert and Carl Smith were Purdon visitors Sunday morning.

Bill Thomas and Roy Alderman were Purdon visitors Sunday.

RALEIGH

RALEIGH. April 14.—(Spl.)—The people of this community are glad to see the sun shine again, so they can begin working in the field.

Mrs. Lucy Reeves and her son, John, were Corsicana visitors Sunday.

Miss Irene Hustead and her brother, visited in the home of Miss Cecile Caldwell Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett, Miss Lura Phipps of Corsicana and Miss Irene Hustead visited in the home of Mrs. Mamie Dunagan of Emmett last Sunday.

Miss Cecile Caldwell and Irene Hustead were Blooming Grove visitors Saturday.

Miss Ruth Hollingsworth spent Sunday with Miss Cecile Caldwell.

Irene Hustead spent Sunday with Helen Gist.

Harvie Hollingsworth spent Saturday night with Jack Hustead.

Raymond Hollingsworth spent Saturday night with his cousin, James Hollingsworth.

Miss Ezzie Hicks of Alliance Hall was in this community Sunday afternoon.

Dollie and Roy Hollingsworth of Frost, Charlie Garrett and Jack Hustead visited Buster Hustead or Malskoff last week. They also enjoyed a few nights on the river fishing.

Miss Irene Hustead spent Saturday with Miss Cecile Caldwell.

Miss Helen Gist spent last Monday with Irene Rebecca Hustead.

Will Hollingsworth, Otto Barry, Henry Caldwell and Harvie McCulloch visited in the home of Jeff Hollingsworth of Carroll, who is sick.

Miss Alma Clark of Dresden spent last Wednesday night and Thursday with Miss Cecile Caldwell.

W. S. Wood was a Blooming Grove visitor last Thursday.

Mrs. Thelma McCulloch and Mrs. Lena Hollingsworth visited in the home of Mrs. Pearl Tucker last Wednesday afternoon.

Will Hollingsworth and his family had as their guests Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Hollingsworth, and son, Bobbie Jean, Roy and Clyde Hollingsworth, Charlie and Elmer Garrett, Avril Price, Mrs. J. O. Hollingsworth and Bob Burns.

Mrs. Lena Hollingsworth and daughter Ruth, Leonard Euner, and Wallace Garrett visited Jeff Hollingsworth Thursday, who is sick.

Charlie Garrett was a Blooming Grove visitor Saturday.

Jack Hustead spent last Friday night and Saturday with Dollie and Roy Hollingsworth of Frost.

Lillie Belle Kirk spent last Friday with Irene Hustead.

Jesse Beauchamp and wife were in Corsicana Thursday from Kerens.

C. E. Smith, Jr., was in Corsicana Thursday from Kerens.

E. E. Nettles was in Corsicana Wednesday from Kerens.

FIFTY-FOOT MOTORBOAT IS REFITTED FOR PRESIDENT'S USE; REPLACING MAYFLOWER

WASHINGTON. May 12.—(P)—A 50-foot motor boat will be the flagship of Commander-in-chief Herbert Hoover.

For several months the president has been without a boat he really could call his own. Early in his administration he ordered the presidential yacht Mayflower to be converted and a new deck since that time he has depended on the navy and other departments to provide transportation on the water.

But the navy now is fixing up a motor boat which was used at the battleship Arizona until 1929. Since then the small craft has been re-engined, outfitted and ready.

ALLIANCE HALL

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Cecil French attended the baseball game at Spring Hill Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Dezzie French visited Miss Dorothy Thompson Tuesday evening.

Mrs. G. W. Marlowe and Mrs. Alice Lewis visited Mrs. Sally McCullum, who is ill.

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Mrs. J. S. Dyer has returned from Houston where she spent several days with her daughter, Mrs. Claudia Mac Sparrs, who had been ill. Mrs. Sparrs is much improved.

Mrs. Guy Sitton of Corsicana was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Luke Cove here Saturday.

Mrs. A. P. Simpson and children of Corsicana, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hervey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Long visited relatives in Dallas Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Fitzgerald and children, J. S. Hall and Miss Ruby Hall, visited relatives in Garland Sunday.

Miss Margaret Hervey who is attending Texas Tech at Lubbock spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hervey.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Hall and children, visited in Dallas Sunday.

Mrs. Cynthia McLarty has returned to her home in Dallas after spending several weeks here with relatives.

The Twentieth Century club has organized a library on the first floor of the Masonic hall. The

RAISE MAILED FIST AGAINST BURNERS OF CATHOLIC CHURCHES

MARTIAL LAW DECLARED IN EFFORT STOP WIDESPREAD WAVE OF ARSON

MADRID. May 12.—(P)—The mailed fist of the month old Spanish republic was raised today to halt the widespread wave of arson throughout Spain which has left smoking Catholic churches and scarred convents, hastily evacuated by monks and nuns.

Martial laws is the republic's answer to the mobs which have swept through the streets of the largest cities in campaign against the Catholic church.

The tension had eased today but the President Alcalá Zamora said the government was prepared to use all the force it commands to restore and preserve order.

"We intend to pursue a firm policy," he said. "We will protect life and property and we will impose the severest punishment on all those who are found guilty of fomenting these disturbances, be they monarchists, communists or whoever they be."

Members of the Catholic hierarchy, including Cardinal Primate Segura whose recent pastoral letter urged Catholics to vote for parliamentarian candidates who would "defend the interests of the church," aroused republican criticism, declined to comment on the riots which have laid waste to four churches and convents were partially destroyed by fire and looting.

More than 200 persons have been arrested as a result of the disorders which have continued since Sunday. They are a curious collection of extremists both of the right and of the left.

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Family Reunion Honors Birthday Of Mrs. P. J. Ellis

Mrs. P. J. Ellis celebrated her 67th birthday on April 28th at the home of her youngest son, Allen Ellis, with her children and grand children all being present except one son and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hunton and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Vinson and Misses Opal Greenhill.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Burle Ellis and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vest and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Vinson and Misses Opal Greenhill.

Mrs. Hattie Vest, Purdon, Texas.

TEAGUE LEGISLATOR OFFERS AMENDMENT TO BUILD AT WACO

AUSTIN REPRESENTATIVE SAYS REMOVAL PLAN IS BOND ISSUE CLUB</h

By George McManus.

BEAUTY CHATS

By EDNA KENT FORBES

All requests for beauty information desired by Edna Kent Forbes' column followers must be accompanied by a fully self-addressed, stamped envelope (a.s.e.) and two cents in stamps to cover cost of printing and handling. For the illustrated pamphlet, "BEAUTY," ten cents in stamps with a.s.e. must be enclosed. Address Miss Forbes in care of this paper.

A REALLY BAD SCALP

At the first sign of scalp trouble try one of the treatments suggested today by Miss Forbes. They may not only save you a large specialist's bill, but they may also save your hair.

If your scalp is in really bad condition, obviously you should consult a scalp specialist. But the ordinary doctor is no scalp specialist, and the medical profession as a whole ignore scalp diseases. For proof, look at the number of bald headed doctors. Perhaps they think baldness is becoming, though most likely they don't taste your digestion from eating too much of pastries and other sweets.

It is quite normal for a certain amount of hair to fall at the change of the seasons, the spring and the fall, and other times. Marie D. C.—It takes a great deal of exercise, and a long time, before a large and drooping bust will show any effects so it will be not only reduced in size but also firm. The first improvement will be the difference in the size, and then there will be some firming starting in the muscles just below the bust and a gradual building upward until all tendency to drooping has gone. It will take a year or longer to effect such an improvement; meantime a grasping oil will have to be worn to give of scalp trouble.

You can buy ready made sulphur ointment, but it is so easy to make you. You need only to do it yourself. You need only take a tablespoon of powdered sulphur, add enough olive oil to it to make a salve. If you have a bald spot, rub it with sulphur ointment. Let the ointment remain on all night. Next day cover the scalp with a beaten egg, let this dry on, rinse off with warm water and shampoo the hair. This treatment should be repeated at least one time a week. If the spots do not disappear within a few months, you will have to consult a specialist. However, it is a very far advanced case of baldness that will not yield to this treatment.

Tomorrow—Tricks.

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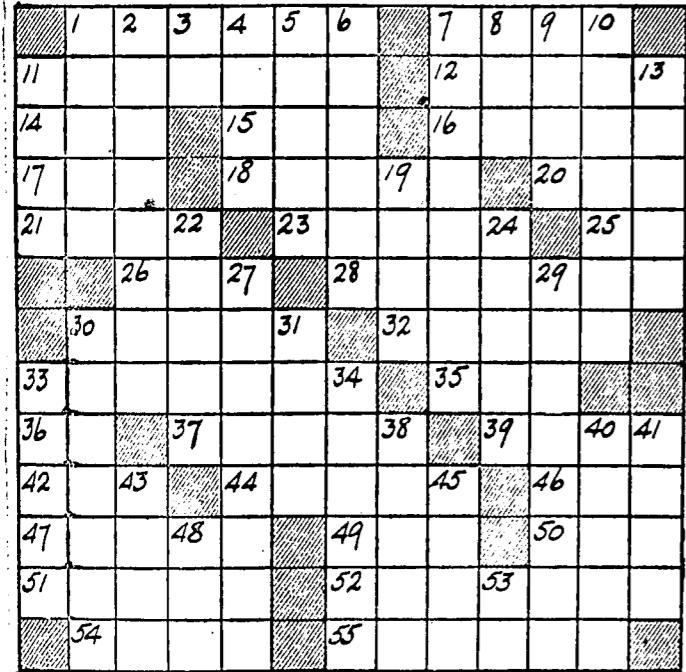
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TODAY'S CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

1. Seats in church	2. Founder of the Mohammedan religion	3. The sign of the zodiac	4. Black duck-coo-like bird	5. Sln. Flavor	6. Horn of a wild animal	7. Daughter of a brother or sister	8. Gas, letter	9. Sea eagles	10. Fly	11. Square	12. One who manufactures: abbr.	13. Hypothetical	14. Signifies	15. Stated positively	16. New Testament spellings: abbr.	17. The cream	18. Affected smile	19. Small rug	20. Growing out	21. Short sleep	22. Something to pacify	23. Lame	24. Rational sleep	25. Diluting language						
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EMBARRASSING MOMENTS



BRINGING UP FATHER...

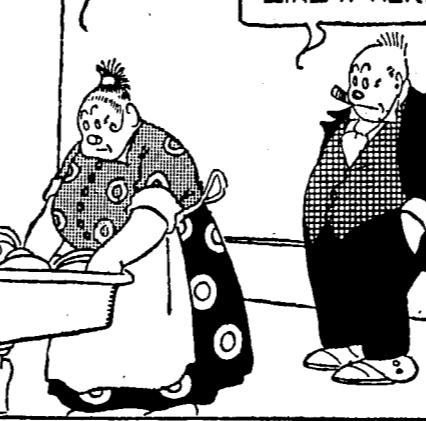
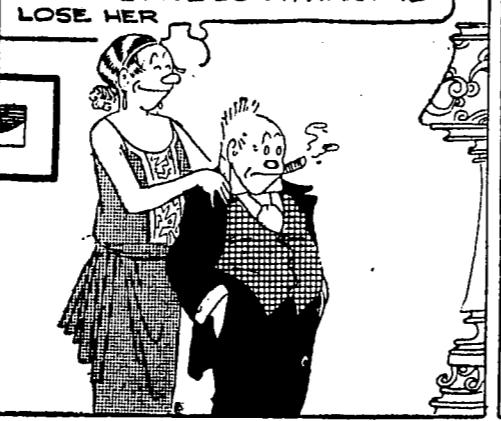
ISN'T OUR NEW COOK WONDERFUL? I WANT YOU TO GO IN THE KITCHEN AND COMPLIMENT HER ON THE COOKING. WE DON'T WANT TO LOSE HER.

HOW DO YOU DO, MR. JIGGS?

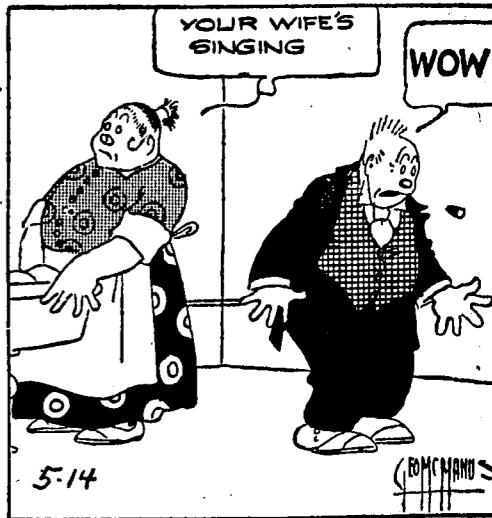
VERY WELL - AND TELL ME, HOW DO YOU LIKE IT HERE?

AH! THIS IS THE FINEST JOB I EVER HAD WITH THE EXCEPTION OF ONE THING.

AND WHAT'S THAT?



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ROMMANS

ELLA CINDERS-- BROKEN DREAMS

THEN YOU MEAN YOU DELIBERATELY MADE US MAKE FOOLS OF OURSELVES, AND THAT YOU WERE ONLY TOYING WITH OUR AFFECTIONS?

Y-YES, JIM-- IF YOU MUST PUT IT THAT WAY!

PATCHES-- NOW YOU SEE HER IN HER TRUE LIGHT! THE WOMAN WE BOTH LOVED KISSES WOMEN AND FIGHT OVER! AND TO THINK THAT SHE ALMOST DESTROYED OUR FRIENDSHIP!

MISS CINDERS, YONDER LIES THE TRAIL -- TAKE IT! AND IF YOU SHOULD EVER RETURN TO THIS COUNTRY AND SEE "WELCOME" WRITTEN ON MY DOORSTEP YOU'LL KNOW YOU'RE THE WRONG ONE READING IT!



Oh! Jim and Patches! What fools you are! Can't you see that Ella is broken-hearted, and has sacrificed herself that your friendship for each other may continue?

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By Bill Conselman and Charlie Plumb

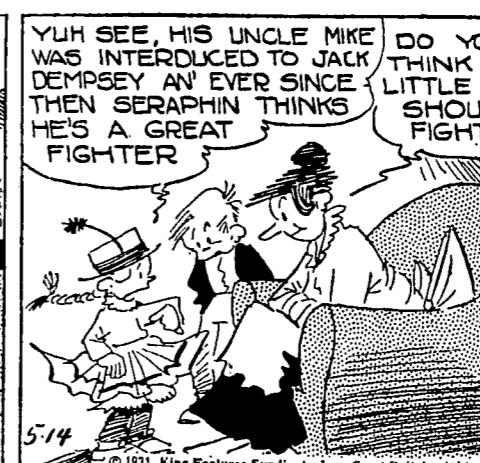
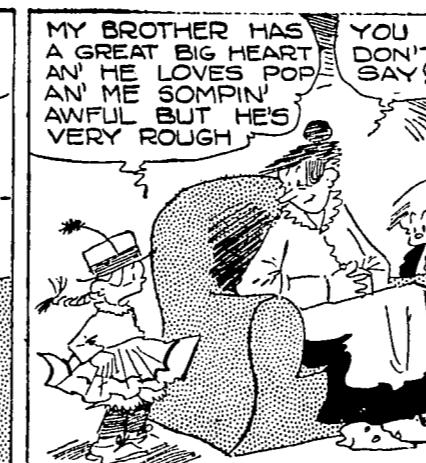
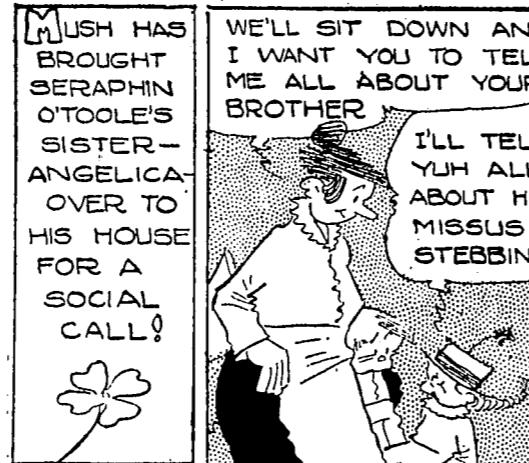
TILLIE THE TOILER-- THE BOSS KEEPS HIS WORD



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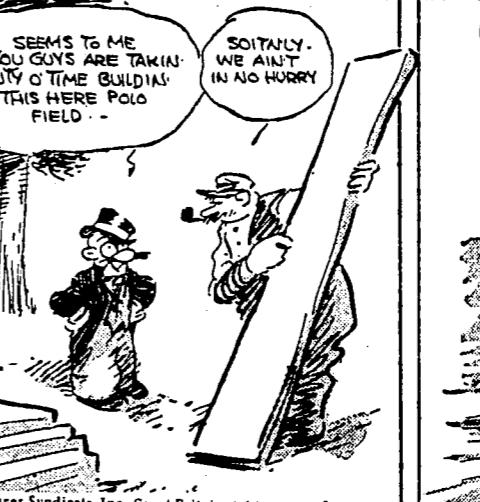


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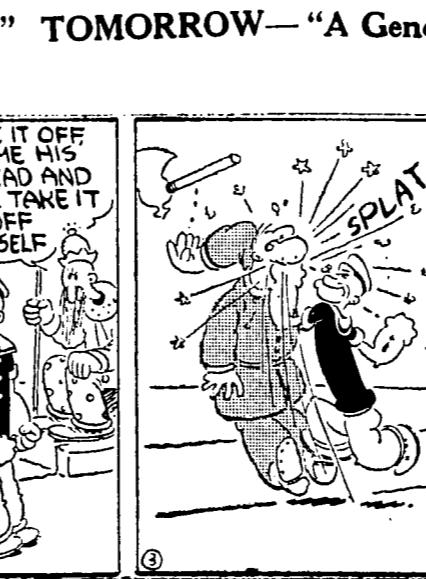
By Ad Carter.

BARNEY GOOGLE-- A "DRIVING" BUSINESS



DE BECK

By Billie DeBeck.



MAVIN

NOW SHOWING— "A 'CAPPED' CLIMAX" TOMORROW— "A GENERAL NUISANCE"



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SENATE AMENDMENT RAISING AMOUNT TO \$1,000,000 ADOPTED

REIMBURSEMENT FOR LOSSES IN FIGHT ON PINK BOLL WORM ASSURED

AUSTIN, May 13.—(P)—The house today concurred in senate amendments to the pink boll worm reimbursement bill. The senate raised the appropriation from \$800,000 to \$1,000,000, adding \$500,000 to reimburse East Texas farmers for cattle tick eradication and \$200,000 to reimburse North Texas farmers for losses resulting from the pink boll worm quarantine in 1922, 1923 and 1924.

The bill as passed by the house appropriated \$300,000 to reimburse West Texas farmers for 1929 and 1930 boll worm quarantine. The money was to pay for seed sterilization and cotton crop fumigation.

An attempt to add tick eradication appropriation for various counties failed when the bill was in the house. The senate, however, adopted a blanket amendment appropriating \$500,000 for the work. The amount will be prorated among the various claimants.

Representative Satterwhite of Odessa bitterly attacked the senate amendments, claiming they were engendered by sectionalism and by a feeling that West Texas was trying to claim a lion's share of the treasury.

He claimed the amendments were unworkable and did not set up machinery for distribution of the appropriations. The West Texas appropriation would be distributed by a claims commission.

Satterwhite moved the house not to concur in the amendments. Representative Burns of Humble moved the house to adopt the senate's amendments. His motion carried 61 to 58. The result was made decisive when Burns' second motion to reconsider and tab the vote prevailed. Under the rules, no action to rescind the vote can be taken.

Representative Bond of Terrell challenged Satterwhite's statements, claiming it was not sectionalism that prompted the additional appropriations but a desire to treat all sections of the state fairly.

Several expressed doubt the governor would approve the bill.

House Struggles With Supply Bill

AUSTIN, May 13.—(P)—The house today continued its struggle with the departmental appropriation bill with numerous amendments offered to each section, most of them were defeated.

An amendment by Rep. Brice of Sulphur Springs to add \$67,000 each year to pay salaries and expenses for 20 weight and license inspectors for the highway department was adopted by a large majority.

Another amendment to the highway department section reduced the maximum that could be paid to resident engineers from \$500 to \$350.

An amendment by Rep. Daniels of Crockett to cut \$140,000 from the appropriation for the livestock sanitary commission was defeated. Several East Texas members, the area in which most of the work of the commission centered, objected to the appropriation. Representative Sherrill of Bellevue criticized the appropriations committee for allowing the livestock sanitary commission more than twice the amount for cattle sanitation than allowed the health department.

Redistricting Unsettled.

AUSTIN, May 13.—(P)—Congressional redistricting, thought to have been definitely agreed upon by house and senate for conference yesterday, was delayed today because members of the committee to be "up in the air."

Senator Small of Wellington said senate free conferees had asked for a new hearing on the free conference bill.

The five senate free conferees had not signed the congressional redistricting free conference committee report.

A meeting of the committee was called today.

MONTFORT WOMAN DIED WEDNESDAY; FUNERAL THURSDAY

Mrs. Lula Laningham, aged 53 years, wife of J. H. Laningham, Montfort, died Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock after a long illness, and the funeral will be held Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock with interment in the Prairie Point cemetery. Funeral services will be held at the cemetery.

Mrs. Laningham was a native of Arkansas, but had resided in Navarro county for a number of years.

Surviving are her husband, two daughters, Mrs. Bessie Thomas, Munger; Mrs. L. R. Gaddis, Tennessee Colony; and Mrs. E. N. Lowe, Powell; one son, Sidney Lenningham, Roane; father, R. H. Polk, Confederate Home, Austin; one brother, Oscar Polk Post; three sisters, Mrs. M. W. Holloway, Goodland; Mrs. C. P. Jackson, Corsicana, and other relatives.

The funeral will be directed by the Corley-McMahon Funeral Home.

Kerens Boys Are Gathering Cans in Clean-up Campaign

KERENS, May 13.—(Spl.)—A five-day premium to the boy in Kerens delivering the most old cans to the Kerens Tribune office has caused quite a feverish activity among the boys of Kerens and a rapid upon all premises in the city limits that showed any sign of being infested with surplus tin cans and other similar rubbish.

Howell Brister, publisher of the Kerens Tribune, offered five dollars to the boys bringing the most cans from any place inside the city limits and the three highest placed boys will receive a premium.

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Magnolia Oilers Won Against Waxahachie 18-2

The undefeated Magnolia Oilers overwhelmed the Waxahachie W. O. W. here Sunday afternoon by a top heavy score of 18-2, before a fair sized crowd.

Shook, star third baseman for the Oilers, led the attack on the visitors with a home run and two singles. A trio of hurlers strolled to the mound for Waxahachie nine, but all were ineffective.

Gathright and Arnold pitched steady ball for the Oilers.

The Box Score

Waxahachie	A B R H P O A E
Whitfield	2b. 3 1 2 0 0
Wise	3b. 3 1 2 0 0
Williams, Jr.	4 0 0 0 0 0
Wicker	1b. 4 2 2 0 0
North	2b. 0 0 0 0 0
Harpers	c. 4 0 2 0 0
Gathright	p. 3 0 0 0 0
Arnold	p. 3 1 0 0 0
McDonald	p. 2 0 1 0 0
Totals 34 2 8 24 0
Magnolia	Bailew, rf. 4 1 2 0 0
Sehorn	3b. 5 3 3 4 0
Robinson	ss. 3 3 2 0 0
Johnson	1b. 4 2 2 0 0
Stover	2b. 5 3 3 0 0
Harper, Jr.	c. 4 2 1 2 0
Barnes	p. 5 1 0 0 0
Caron	c. 1 3 0 1 0
Arnold	p. 3 1 0 0 0
Thompson	p. 2 0 1 0 0
Totals 40 18 12 27 10

Struck out—By Arnold 4; stolen bases—Shook, Stover; Caron, winning pitcher—Gathright; losing pitcher—Hightower; umpire—Bob Bett.

FIFTH SUNDAY MEET OF BAPTISTS TO BE HELD UNITY CHURCH

Following is the program of the Navarro County Baptist association's Fifth Sunday meeting to be held with Unity Baptist church, Henderson county, Friday night, May 29, 1931.

Friday

7:30 p. m.—Devotional, Bert Hodges.

8:00 p. m.—Preaching, E. L. Jones.

Saturday.

9:45 a. m.—Song and praise, N. Johnson.

10:00 a. m.—Should the Deacons have authority over the church? If not, what is their duty?—G. C. Henry, W. Z. Corbin and others.

11:00 a. m.—Preaching, W. H. Day.

12:00—Lunch.

1:30 p. m.—Is Kindness and Affection to each other Liabilities or Assets to the Church?—W. H. Day, D. G. Bierlein and others.

2:00 p. m.—B. O. H. and preaching—J. W. Harper.

Sunday

9:30 a. m.—Sunday school and round table talks.

11:00 a. m.—Preaching, H. A. Conway.

12:00—Music and its place in worship, Round table talks.

3:00 p. m.—Singing—T. R. Vaughn and others.

7:30 p. m.—Preaching—Preacher to be supplied.

Unity is four miles north of Murchison, Henderson county.

Buses come from all directions to Athens, and will be met Friday and Saturday. Come one and all and stay it through.—Committee.

Coming to order at 2 p. m. (7 a. m. Central Standard time) the national assembly, as the joint body is called, expected to begin voting at once, secret votes being put in an urn placed in front of the assembly.

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Brion vs. Doumer

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TEAGUE HI STYLE SHOW

TEAGUE, May 13.—(Spl.)—The annual style show of the home economics department of Teague high school, under the direction of the Misses McElroy's, home economics instructors, will be given in the high school auditorium Tuesday night, May 14.

A large number of the students will participate in the program.

STOLEN AUTO RECEIVED

The automobile reported stolen from E. W. Ellis and company about noon Wednesday was found in the high school parking lot.

Information received by the Corsicana police department from Mexico officers late Wednesday,

BRIAND WITHDRAWS AFTER TRAILING ON OPENING BALLOT

VICTORY FOR PRESIDENT OF SENATE CAME ON SECOND BALLOT TODAY

VERSAILLES, May 13.—(P)—Paul Doumer, 74 year old president of the senate, tonight was elected thirteenth president of the French republic. Victory came on the second ballot after Aristide Briand, who trailed Doumer on the first ballot, had withdrawn his candidacy.

The official count gave Doumer 504 votes to 334 for Senator Pierre Marraud, who had the backing of the socialists.

Doumer Dignified And Auster Man

PARIS, May 13.—(P)—Paul Doumer, who narrowly missed election to the presidency in 1905, is a dignified white bearded gentleman, seldom loquacious, usually austere after the manner of Raymond Poincaré, with a vein of sympathy and understanding.

In several ways his career is similar to that of President Doumer. Both served the government in Indo China, both were president of the senate.

He began his career as a newspaper man, soon switching to politics and becoming successively deputy finance minister, governor general of Indo China, president of the chamber of deputies, senator, then president of the senate.

The president of the French senate corresponds closely to the vice president of the United States. He presides over the upper house and is considered the second highest official in the government.

M. Doumer carries his 74 years well and often appears on American occasions in Paris, for he is well known in the American colony.

He is the father of eight children and during the war four of his sons were killed. The French never forget that.

Despite his years, he is straight and erect and although small in stature he makes an arresting figure.

He speaks methodically, in a thin voice, somewhat tenuous, and unlike Briand he is formal in his friendships and his contacts with others.

He is known as a student, particularly of finance.

French Congress Is Ready Elect Official

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Interesting News From Navarro County Towns

ROANE

ROANE, May 14.—(Spl.)—Walter Roberts of Corsicana spent Thursday night with Tom Moore. Mrs. R. E. Bush was a Corsicana visitor Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Allison Jones, Mr. and Mrs. John Bragg, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Frazier, and Miss Maude Cummings spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frazier.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fluker and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd of Kerens Sunday.

Mrs. Nat Conner and son, Billie, and Mrs. Leonard Spiedl and daughter, Jackie of Dallas, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Craig.

Beauford McCollough of Corsicana spent Thursday night with Jack Dulaney.

Miss Louella Bragg of Corsicana spent Sunday with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Hallie Bass attended the B. Y. P. U. meeting at the First Baptist church in Corsicana Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Talley attended the funeral of Mr. Talley's sister at Frost Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry McCollough of Powell, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Gay Sunday afternoon.

Miss Jessie Mae Rogers spent Saturday night with Miss Florence Black.

Truman Pope spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Pope of Corsicana.

D. W. Huston of Providence spent the week-end with home-folks.

Mrs. A. E. Bush spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Garlington of Providence.

Miss Margaret Estes spent from Sunday until Tuesday with Miss Virginia Warren of Corsicana.

Miss Beatrice Bass of Navarro spent the week-end with home-folks.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Fluker, visited Mrs. Spruill at the hospital Sunday afternoon.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. J. E. Blackwell is on the sick list.

Basson Bass was a Corsicana visitor Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sittor of Corsicana visited Mrs. Thornton on Sunday.

Mrs. E. P. Estes and daughters, Lois and Margaret, were in Corsicana Saturday.

Mrs. Albert Holcomb and daughter, Hazel, were in Corsicana on Monday.

A. E. Bush visited his parents in Corsicana Sunday.

Miss Mary Burks spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Burks.

Miss Louise Estes of Navarro spent the week-end with home-folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Craig and Mrs. Nat Conner and son, Billy, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Gay Monday night.

Jackson Taylor of Corsicana spent the week-end with J. R. Bush.

Rudolph Curry spent Sunday with Douglas Holcomb.

Misses Florence, Thelma, and Carrie Black spent Sunday with Miss Jessie Mae Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Estes visited Mrs. Ed Warren of Corsicana Sunday.

Mrs. Iva Holloway of Corsicana and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Curry and Mrs. Arnett Reynolds spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Etchison.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Moore and children, Tom and Martha Marie, visited Mrs. Moore of Big Spring Sunday.

Miss Evelyn Dulaney is spending the week with relatives in Athens.

Tom Moore was in Corsicana Wednesday night.

Jim Estes and daughter, Louise, and Miss Letha Curry spent Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. C. L. Jackson of Edgewood.

Mrs. Lena Pickering and children have moved to Corsicana. Clay Reynolds is visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Curry visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert Holcomb Sunday.

Alin Hutson, Frank Black and Rev. and Mrs. Theo Vaughn were in Hillsboro Sunday.

G. C. Barnhardt and son, Walter, of Corsicana, were Roane visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Jane Jones visited relatives in Providence Wednesday.

Warren Garlington of Providence spent the week-end with D. W. Hutson.

DAWSON

DAWSON, May 14.—(Spl.)—Mesdames R. M. Akers, Ray Marter, Jack Freed and Frank Simpson, spent Thursday of last week in Waco.

Miss Francis Schwartz and Mrs. Hollis Pitts spent Thursday in Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hill visited Mrs. Hill's parents in Waxahachie on Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Edwards spent Thursday in Fort Worth.

Mrs. W. O. McDonald and children of Prairie Hill spent the week-end in Dawson.

Miss Mabel Noble, teacher in the school here, spent the week-end with her parents in Temple.

Miss Frances McCulloch is attending Trinity University, spent the past week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McCulloch of this city.

Mrs. J. M. Glass, who has been visiting her parents here, returned to her home in Oklahoma City last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Major Davis, J. M. Beasley and W. M. Roberts, were Dallas visitors Monday.

Guy Davis spent Tuesday in Dallas.

Eugene Hellums and Howard Pitts visited friends in Belton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Pitts spent Sunday in Blooming Grove with Mrs. Pitts' grandmother, Mrs. E. M. Mabry.

John Walker and daughter, Ella, of Tyler, spent Saturday and Sunday visiting friends in Dawson.

Mrs. Jack Meers has returned from an extended visit with her grandmother in Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Majors and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Griffin spent Sunday in Waco visiting relatives.

Misses Pauline and Lillian Barnes were in Waco Saturday.

W. Y. Cannon, Mesdames Guy and Major Davis and Miss Mildred spent Wednesday in Waco.

Mrs. Earl Sawyer of Waco, spent Wednesday in Dawson, visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Cox and small daughter, spent the week-end here with relatives.

Miss Dorothy Holt was in Corsicana Thursday from Kerens.

BAZETTE

BAZETTE, May 14.—(Spl.)—The farmers of this community are taking advantage of the pretty weather. Everyone is busy with their crop.

There was preaching at the Methodist church Sunday morning and night, with Rev. Bernard McCord in charge of the services.

The service Sunday morning was in honor of Our Mothers.

Miss Ethel Sharer went to Corsicana Saturday to visit relatives for a few days.

A number of relatives of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Mills gathered at their home Sunday. An enjoyable day was spent by all those present.

Mrs. McCord of Richland is visiting her son Rev. McCord, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sharer and family visited in the Round Pine community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Heschel McCown and daughter, Margaret, and Alberta Jones of Kerens attended church at Bazzette Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Ferguson of Corsicana were Bazzette visitors Sunday.

Otis Atkinson of Corsicana spent the week end at Bazzette.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund McQuary and children visited Mr. and Mrs. R. McQuary Sunday.

Will Trammel Jr., was hurt several weeks ago, but is able to be out again.

Fay Albritton is on the sick list. The ladies of the T. P. A. met Thursday afternoon. They also organized a new sewing and other craft club. They also organized the canning club and set the canning days for each group.

The canning club met Wednesday at Mrs. E. S. Allen's residence.

Mesdames Van Elkins, Gordon Elkins and J. W. Garland and baby Miss Fatsy and Eric Jean Elkins, were in Corsicana Saturday on business.

Mother's Day was observed at both the Methodist and Baptist churches Sunday with appropriate programs, honoring mothers.

B. F. Hayes and daughters, Mrs. Claude Bartlett, and Miss Jessie Hayes, spent the week-end in Athens.

The freshman class gave a home of Miss Alpha Swink, holding P. D. Funderburg, one of the teachers of the Richland Richland school, who is leaving for his home one day this week.

Mrs. Claude Bartlett, Misses Jessie Hayes and Maye McBride motored to Corsicana Monday.

Mrs. A. N. Brown, Mrs. W. H. Heartfield and sons, Joe and Edward motored to the Orphans Home Sunday.

The freshman and sophomores met at the home of Mrs. Bartlett Friday night and made ice cream, all enjoying the occasion very much.

Oddie Farmer and family have moved on the east side of town. D. D. Anderson is slowly improving.

Mrs. J. H. Hill has been confined to her bed for the past week.

Miss Allie Mae White has returned home from Kilgore.

Oliver Jackson and nephew, Mrs. Willie Cook was on the sick list last week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Alexander and sons, Clinton and Dale, were Kerens visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. L. O. Sutton and daughters, Leola and Estelle, visited Poarch and family Tuesday afternoon.

J. A. Pike and daughter, Cedelia were in Corsicana Monday afternoon.

Walter Hamilton entertained the young folks with a singing Sunday night.

Nenie and Faye Sparkman, Henry, Willie, Eura, Geneva and Wilma Davis, Cleo and Melton Keathel and Mr. and Mrs. Knott of Pinkston attended the singing at Walter Hamilton's Sunday night.

Opal Poach was absent from school Monday on account of sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Pike spent Saturday night with Bill Shaw and family of Pickett.

L. O. Sutton and daughter, Estelle, and Charlie Gray were Roane visitors Friday night.

Mrs. Lawrence Shivers and little daughter, Billie Gene of Teague are visiting Lee Poach and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Sutton visited Mrs. Joe Parrish of the White's Chapel community Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jordan and daughter, Frances of Corsicana attended the singing Sunday night at Walter Hamilton's.

Garland, Claud, Chester Lee Thompson, Claud and Joe Brielaupt, Jerry Poach, Ralph Holland and Charles Beckham spent Sunday afternoon with Lawrence Sutton.

Leola Shivers of Teague visited Lee Poach and family Tuesday.

L. O. Sutton and daughters, Leola and Estelle, and John Beckham visited Navarro Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Knott of Pinkston visited the Black Hills Sunday morning.

Marvin, Melissa, Viola, and Evelyn Beckham, Dot, Stene and Catherine Thompson, Neal Stoner, Leah Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Pike and Cedelia Pike attended a party at Jim Taylor's of the Drane community Friday night.

Mrs. Susan Benton, who makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Pike was made quite happy on Mothers' Day Sunday when her children, grandchildren, relatives and friends came to spend the day with her. Mrs. Benton came from Louisiana and has been a resident of the Black Hills community for more than 30 years. She has four children, nine grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pike and daughter, Cedelia; Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Pike of Black Hills; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Benton and daughters, Zada Belle and LaBess of Emmons; Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Benton and daughter, Betty Jo, of Corsicana; Mr. and Mrs. Nick Parrish and son, Jerry, of Emmons; Miss Lucile and Maxine Parrish of Tehuacana; Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Sease and Mrs. Annie Cook and sons, Pete and Bruce of Corsicana; Mr. and Mrs. Ben A. Todd and little son, Lewis, of Richland; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Thompson and Mrs. D. P. Prince of Corsicana. The dinner was served in picnic form on the lawn at the home of J. A. Pike. At last, when it came time to depart, each one said they had enjoyed the day very much and wished Mrs. Benton would live so many more Mother's Days.

Mr. and Mrs. Major Davis, J. M. Beasley and W. M. Roberts, were Dallas visitors Monday.

Guy Davis spent Tuesday in Dallas.

Misses Pauline and Lillian Barnes were in Waco Saturday.

W. Y. Cannon, Mesdames Guy and Major Davis and Miss Mildred spent Wednesday in Waco.

Mrs. Earl Sawyer of Waco, spent Wednesday in Dawson, visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Cox and small daughter, spent the week-end here with relatives.

Miss Dorothy Holt was in Corsicana Thursday from Kerens.

RICHLAND

RICHLAND, May 14.—(Spl.)—Miss Inez Gambel of Ennis, who is teaching at Streetman, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. McCord last week.

Joe White of Kilgore spent a couple of days last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Varnell and sons, Jack and Bob, of Avelon, were Barry visitors Thursday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. K. Hartley and daughters, and mother, Mrs. R. M. Hartley of Blooming Grove, spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. M. Montgomery.

The Missionary Society of the First Baptist church spent last Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Roy Massengale.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Merideth and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Johnson and children went to Turkey Springs near Trinidad last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williams, and daughters, Mrs. C. E. Williams and Mrs. L. R. Gaddis, Tennessee, and Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Long, Pennsylvania; one son, Shirley Roane, father, R. H. Polk Austin; one brother, Oscar Polk Post; and three sisters, Mrs. M. H. Holloway, Goodland; Mrs. H. R. Frost, Corsicana.

Surviving are her husband, J. H. Laningham, three daughters, Mrs. Mrs. Bassie Thomas, Munger, Mrs. L. R. Gaddis, Tennessee, and Mrs. E. N. Long, Pennsylvania; one son, Shirley Roane, father, R. H. Polk Austin; one brother, Oscar Polk Post; and three sisters, Mrs. M. H. Holloway, Goodland; Mrs. H. R. Frost, Corsicana.

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